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CRANBERRY MEN WILL HOLD MEET

PROMISES TO BE AN INTERESTING SESSION.

A Good Program Mapped Out with the Usual Picnic Dinner as a Drawing Card. No Doubt of a Good Crowd.

At a meeting of the officials of the Wisconsin State Cranberry Growers' Association the committee of arrangements adopted the following program for their summer meeting, to be held on Tuesday, August 18, at the Gaynor-Blackstone marsh, located between Cranmoor and Elm Lake stations.

The morning will be taken up in inspecting the nursery, now under the management of the University Experiment Station, and for which $2500 per annum was appropriated by the last Legislature. It is believed not only the growers, but everyone interested in the cranberry, from its home on the bog to its honored place at the banquet table, will find much of value in the work which is being carried on.

At 12:30 p. m. sharp, the usual picnic dinner will be served. The details will be under the efficient charge of Mrs. E. E. Warner, a guarantee of its success, and all intending to be present are requested to communicate with Mrs. Warner as to the refreshments to be furnished and other matters connected with the entertainment.

Everybody is cordially invited to attend, the sole condition being that each one–except the guests from abroad–shall bring to the general banquet board, as much as they expect to eat.

Afternoon Session.

Transfer of the Experiment Station—Address by President Chas. Briere

Report of Statistician.—Secretary W. H. Fitch.

Fixing Rates for Harvesting.—General Discussion.

Weather Forcasts.—Address by Prof. W. A. Cox, Section Director, Chicago, Ill.

Local Conditions that Induce Frost.—Address by W. W. Wilson Section Director Milwaukee, Wis.

The Relation of the University to Industrial Education.—Address by Prof. A. R. Whitson, University of Wisconsin.

Marketing.—Addresses by T. E. Hoskins of H. P. Stanley Co. Chicago, Ill., Ernest Peycke of Peycke Bros. Commission Co. Kansas City, Mo. and others.

Legislative Appropriation.—Addresses by State Senator H. P. Wipperman and Assemblyman F. A. Cady.

Exhibit at Saint Louis Fair—Report of Committee.

Miscellaneous Business.—Chas. Briere, President, W. H. Fitch, Secretary.

There is every indication that the meeting will be a very interesting one, even more so than those that have gone before. There are a larger number of men who have a reputation who will be in attendance, and as the interest is growing every year in these meetings, there is no doubt, should the weather be favorable, that the coming meeting will be well attended.

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LETTER FROM ZENO M. HOST

SAYS THERE ARE MANY ILLEGAL COMPANIES IN STATE.

Warns the People Not to Patronize Those Companies That Are Doing Business Illegally.

I desire to warn the citizens of Wisconsin against a great many fire insurance compainies that are transacting business in the state without any authority and in direct violation of the law.

The Department of Insurance receives inquiries nearly every day about companies that are not licensed to transact business in Wisconsin. Any company that is willing to defy and evade the laws of this state cannot be trusted to settle its claims. Furthermore, a policy holder having a claim against one of those wild cat companies would be compelled to bring suit against the company in the state in which it is organized in order to recover his claim, and the chances are that he could collect nothing from the company.

The laws of Wisconsin provide that any person representing unauthorized companies in this state, is liable to the insured in case of loss and the company refuses to pay it. In most cases, however, wild cat companies cannot secure responsible people to represent them, therefore, this law does not protect the insured, for as a rule, persons representing wild cat companies are irresponsible and a judgment against them is worthless.

During the past six months, I have heard of the following compaines transacting business in this state without a license: American Trust and Insurance Co. of Illinois, American Underwriters of Illinois, Commonwealth Insurance Co. of Illinois, Commonwealth Savings and Insurance Co. of Virginia, Great Northern Insurance Co. of Illinois, Great Western Underwriters of Illinois, Mercantile Fire Insurance Co. ot Illinois. National Insurance and Investment Co. of Delaware, Northern Fire Insurance Co. of Illinois.

These companies have no standing in their own states and are defrauding this state of taxes and fees of which this Department has collected, during the past six months, $500,000 from duly authorized companies. It is an injustice to authorized companies to permit wild cat companies to transact business in the state, and with a view of eliminating wild cat insurance policies and ascertain if the companies are authorized to transact business in Wisconsin, by calling on their agents and requesting him to show his certificate of authority to represent the company, unless they are positive the agent has such authority. Furthermore, a policy holder accepting insurance in wild cat companies is liable to the city, village or town maintaining a regularly organized fire department for the taxes due them for the maintenance of such department, and is guilty of violating the laws of Wisconsin if the tax is not paid annually to the treasurer of the city, village or town. See section 1926, Wisconsin Statutes of 1898, as amended by chapter 32, laws of 1899.

Yours truly, ZENO M. HOST
Commissioner of Insurance.

Newsboys Band Concert.

The following program has been arranged for the concert which the Journal Newsboys will give in this city on the evening of July 15th at the Lincoln highschool:

Part 1.

1. Medley of War Songs................McCosh
(Salute to the Flag.)
The Journal Band.
2. Overture—Czarina................ Rathbun
The Journal Band.
3. Baritone Solo —Melodies in F
..................................Rubenstein
Master Edward Schaum.
4. Recitation.............................
Master Michael Greenberg.
5. March—Bill Board......................Klohr
The Journal Band.
6. Cornet Solo—The Commodore......
..................................Chambers
Master John Dumphy.
7. Selection—Prince of Pilsen ....
..................................Luders
The Journal Band.

Part 2.

1. Overture—The Elves..............Kiefer
The Journal Band.
2. Violin Solo—Concerto...............Spolier
Master Henry Winsauer.
3. Waltz—Wild Flowers................Kiefer
The Journal Band.
4. Recitation.............................
Master Michael Greenberg.
5. Selection—The Lizard and the Frog
..................................Morse
The Journal Band
6. Bass Solo— The Mighty Deep.......Jude
Master Robert Larson.
7. March—The Crisis ....Hall
The Journal Band.

Will Build a Church.

The Polish Catholic society of this city are preparing to erect a church in this city and are advertising for contracts on same.

They intend to erect a structure of brick, 48x86 feet, two stories high, which when completed will be used both a church and schoolhouse until the time comes when the congregation is wealthy enough to build a church. Rev. J. M. Korczyk of Pine River has charge of the congregation here, and he has been in the city the past week assisting the committee in completing their arrangements.

Congregational Services.

Rev. Shaw's subject next Sunday morning at First Congregational church will be "The Rainbow." Evening, Christian Endeavor sociey, meeting at 7:30.

—Secure Carrington's bus and transfer line for transportation to any part of the city. 10 cents from 7 a. m. to 7 p. m. Telephone 285.

SOUTH CENTRALIA MILL DAMAGED.

HAS A NARROW ESCAPE FROM TOTAL DESTRUCTION.

Fire Catches in hot Air Shaft of the Main Mill and Soon the Cupalo Is a Mass of Flames.—Fire is Extinguished With the Mill's Appliances.

An alarm of fire was turned in from the south side at ten o'clock this morning, and when it was found that it was the paper mill at South Centralia that was burning considerable anxiety was felt here for fear that it might be impossible to extinguish the flames before serious damage was done, a condition that would be deplored by all. Luckily the fire was soon got under subjection and it is not considered that the damage will be over $500.

The fire caught in a hot air shalf that conducts the heated air from the number one machine. From the exit of this shaft it worked to the roof and running up between the ceiling and roof, soon the cupalo on top of the mill was a mass of flames. Several chemical extinguishers were at hand, and these were applied at once, which subdued the flames sufficiently so that the apparatus of the mill was got at work and the flames were entirely extinguished.

Both of the fire departments of this city went to the scene as rapidly as possible, but before either of them could be used the flames had been extinguished. The cupalo was pretty well burned off the mill and considerable dirt and grit dropped down onto the machine from the ceiling, but it is not thought that the damage will exceed $500 all told.

Taken all together it was a very lucky escape from a disastrous conflagration, a fact that the owners and people in general are to be congratulated upon.

New Lodge Organized.

A lodge of the Modern Brotherhood of America was organized in this city on Monday evening by Thos. E. Cage, district manager of the order. The new lodge starts out with twenty-five charter members and bids fair to become a useful and healthy organization. The following officers were elected:

J. J. Looze, president.
George Metcalfe, vice president.
Frank Abel, secretary.
Selmar Chose, treasurer.
J. J. Bellin, camp physician.
Charles Reed, chaplain.
Thos. Paterick, conductor.
Robert Perkins, watchman.
Louis Meunier, sentry.

—A. R. Bass of Morgantown, Ind., had to get up ten or twelve times in the night, and had a severe backache and pains in the kidneys. Was cured by Foley's Kidney Cure. Sold by Johnson & Hill Co.

SCHOOL CENSUS COMPLETED.

Figures Show a Very Healthy Gain Over Those of Last Year.

During the past two weeks Will Raymond has been engaged in taking the annual school census and the figures show a very healthy increase over last year. The number between the ages of 4 and 20 this year is 1851, and as the number last year was 1619, there is an increase of 232.

It is customary for people to figure out the population of a city from the school census but it has been found that the figures that apply to one community are entirely off in another, while they vary greatly in different years of the same community, so this method is not taken much stock in any more.

Multiplying the number of school children by 3½, which is considered a conservative method, gives us a total of 6 478, which would be the population of the city. However, this figure is undoubtedly too high, as it is hardly probable that the city has increased two thousand in the past three years. It does not matter, tho, just what the increase is, it is a good healthy one, one that we should all be proud of.

CRANBERRIES IN THE EAST.

Partial Failure of the Crop Predicted in Cape Cod Region.

A clipping from the Boston Herald, received by W. H. Fitch, tells of the probable destruction of about half of the crop in that section of the country. This much of a shortage may not seem to amount to much to the casual observer, but when it is remembered that Cape Cod produces four-sevenths of all the cranberries of the country, and Wisconsin one-seventh, it will be seen that one-half of Cape Cod crop means twice as many as raised in Wisconsin, which prove quite an item and undoubtedly have considerable influence on the market price of the berries.

The New Jersey berries are said to be all right and as that section of the country produces about two-sevenths of the entire crop, this will have a tendency to keep the price from soaring inordinately high. However, there is no question but what should the growers in this section gather their crop without further mishap that they will get good prices for their product.

Grace Estella Getts.

Grace Estella Getts, the oldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. H. Getts, died at the home of her parents on Friday evening after an illness of only six days. The cause of her death was peritonitis.

She was taken sick on the evening of the 4th with severe pain, and in a very few days the trouble had affected her so seriously that her relatives felt that there was little chance for her recovery, and altho everything possible was done for her, her death seemed to be inevitable, and she passed away at 10:30 o'clock on the 10th instant, conscious to the last.

The funeral was held on Monday afternoon from the Congregational church, Rev. B. J. H. Shaw officiating, the remains being interred in Forest Hill cemetery. The Lady Maccabees, of which order she was a member, attended in a body.

She is survived by her father and mother, two brothers, Guy and Roy, and her sister, Minnie. The relatives have the sincerest sympathy of all in their bereavement.

Annual Church Meeting.

The annual meeting of the Congregational society was held on Monday evening. There was a good attendance and the church reports show the institution to be in a most prosperous condition. During the past year there have been added 23 new members, and there is a balance of cash in the treasury.

A committee was appointed to confer with the trustees of the church about some improvements about the edifice. Among the things talked of are a basement under the structure and an enlargement of the auditorium. A hearty vote of thanks was given Rev. Shaw for his efficient work during the past year, and a special vote of thanks was tendered T. A. Taylor for his work in bringing the choir up to such a high standard, and enabling them to furnish the people with such a high grade of music.

Notice to Contractors.

Grand Rapids, Wis., July 15th 1903.

The building committee of St. Laurence's congregation of Grand Rapids, Wis, will accept until August 3d, 7 o'clock p. m. sealed proposals for erection of the school and sister-house at that city. $100.00 in cash or certified check must accompany each bid as a sign of good faith. Plans and specifications may be examined at the residence of Mr. John Kubisiak, Grand Rapids to whom all bids must be sent. Right to reject any or all bids is reserved to the building committee.

By order of St. Laurence's building committee.

Rev. J. M. KORCZYK, Pastor.

Had Imbibed Too Freely.

William Reed was taken before Justice Cooper on Saturday on a charge of being drunk and disorderly. Owing to a lack of funds he is serving out a five day sentence in the county jail.

V. W. Chandler paid a fine of $5.00 and costs before Justice Brown on Saturday, the charge being drunk and disorderly.

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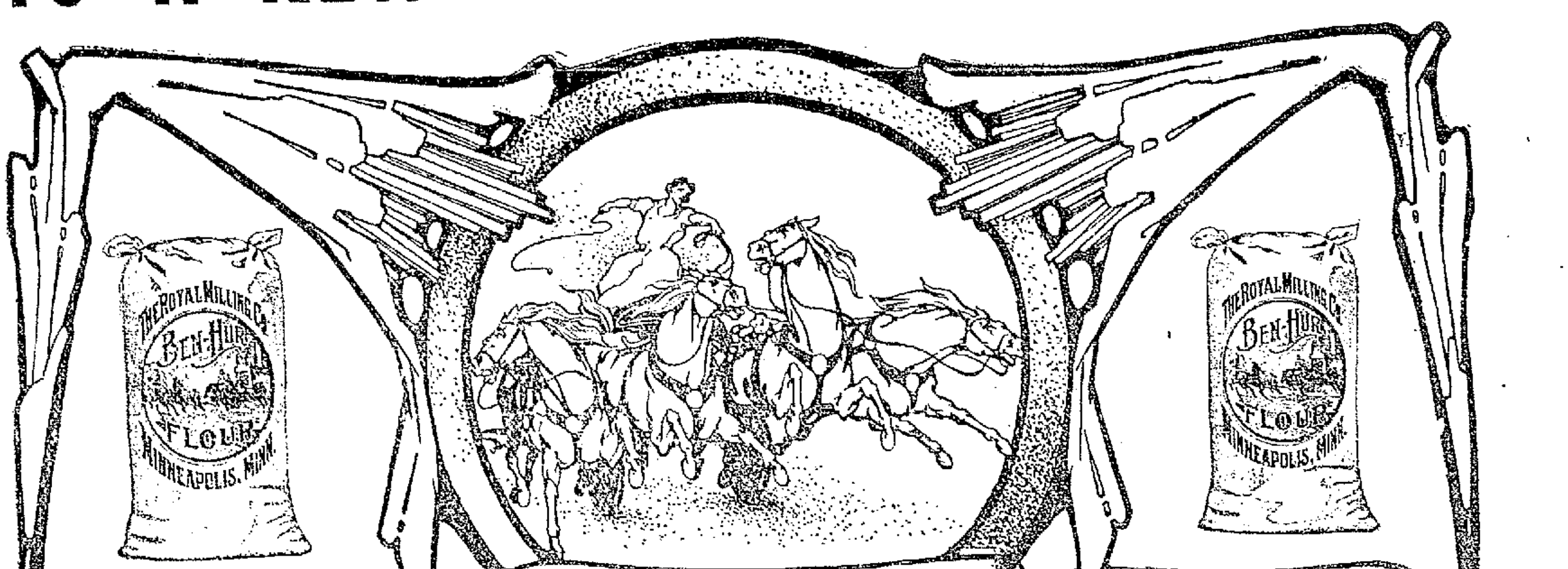
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Envy.

"Yes," said the nervous man, "I have a habit of talking in my sleep."

And the eminent citizen who is expected to respond to an ovation in every town that the train goes through murmured:

"What a valuable accomplishment!"—Washington Star.

He Knew Him.

Haskins—It maddens me to see the contempt Gowdy has for his wife.

Billings—Why, that's the very thing I like about Gowdy. He couldn't be honest if he didn't have contempt for the woman who could take him for a husband.—Boston Transcript.

A Little Too Clever.

Sir Charles Napier was at one time governor of Gibraltar. One day by some mischance he mislaid the keys of his safe. Search being unavailing, he sent down to the engineers' yard to know if they had a man capable of picking a lock.

A certain sapper, whose skill at lock picking was well known, was sent to the governor's house, and, with the aid of a few pieces of wire, he very shortly succeeded in opening the safe. Napier was amazed at his celerity, but said nothing.

Next morning the sapper was sent for by his colonel, who handed him a five pound note and informed him that, by Napier's order, he was to return to England, for home service, by the next boat, as the governor did not think it safe to keep a man on the rock who could pick the most complicated lock as easily as he could eat his breakfast.

OUR NEW STORE

Will soon be finished and when it is done we will have to move. In order to avoid handling as many goods as possible we have inaugurated a

GREAT REMOVAL SALE

At which everything will be **Sold at Cost.** There will be bargains all along the line for we would rather sell the goods than to remove them to our new store, for it costs money to move goods, and we would rather you would get the profit than to eat it up by handling the goods. The sale started on

Monday, July 6th and will Continue till Tues., September 1st.

If you miss this sale you will miss a chance of a lifetime to buy goods at cost, and in many cases below cost. Here are a few of the prices at which things will go at this sale:

Sticky Flypaper, stick them, 4 double sheets 5c
J. Clark's Machine Thread, per spool 2c
Good fancy Ginghams, worth 8c, this sale 4c
Good India Linen, small lengths, worth 12½ 7c
Good fancy Dimity, worth up to 15c, sale 5c
Good heavy big Bedspread, at this sale 55c
Turkey Red Table Linen, at this sale 12½
A good Rolling Pin goes at this sale for 3c
Fancy Check Crash Suiting, at this sale 6c
Heavy Blue Flannel, a bargain, this sale 15c
Glass Tumblers go at this sale for each 1c
Good Enameled Wash Basin, worth 25c 12c
Black Mosquito Netting, this sale per yd 2c
Good Tea Dust in paper package, per lb 8½c
Big Reduction in our full line of Shoes.
Men's and Boys' Suits at your own price.
Good Salmon at this sale 1 lb. can for 10c
All our stock of millinery goes at cost.
Maple City Toilet Soap, per 2 bar box 3c
Floor Oilcloth, at this sale per yard 19c
120 Sheets Writing Paper goes for 10c
4 dozen patent Hooks and Eyes for 1c
15 bars Laundry Soap, removal sale price 25c
Men's Worsted Pants worth $1.00, sale 50c
Ladies' Mercerized Shirt Waists, worth 50c 29c
Ladies' fancy Gingham Shirt Waists 25c
Ladies' Sun Bonnets, worth 25c, sale 10c
A Good Tin Pie Plate, removal sale 1c
Ladies' white Handkerchiefs, worth 5c 1c
Child's Silk Windsor Ties, worth 15c 5c
Men's Over Shirts, removal sale price 10c
Men's Laundered Shirts at this sale for 25c
Men's Unlaundered Shirts at this sale 15c
Men's Underwear, removal sale price 15c
Ladies' Sailor Hats, worth 25c, sale price 10c
Child's Black Hose, to go at this sale for 1c
A good Mop Stick goes at this sale for 5c

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THE SOUP PLATE.

A Seventeenth Century Cookbook Tells Why It Was Invented.

A valet of Louis XIV. published a cookbook in 1655 in which he gives as follows the reason for the invention of the hollow soup plate:

The plates of the guests will be hollow in order that they may help themselves to as much soup as they may want without being obliged to take it spoonful by spoonful, because of the disgust they may have for one another on seeing the spoon go from the mouth to the tureen.

Guests, it will be seen, used their own spoons to fill their plates, the large spoon to be used for serving the soup not being invented till some time later. Yet even a hundred years after the invention of the soup plate (1749) a work on civility advised that all the dishes should be so placed on the table that every one could reach them with his spoon and that if the soup was served in a dish (tureen) every one should help himself with his own spoon without seeming to be in a hurry. A work on manners that appeared just before the French revolution deemed it best to advise its readers that it was impolite to pass the spoon back and forth between the mouth and the tureen.

A Plea For Descriptive Titles.

Setting aside the flood not to be counted as literature, the naming of a book that is worthy of a name is a matter of real moment. Two methods seem to have been followed—that of using the name of a leading character, as "Jane Eyre" and "Rob Roy;" the other that of giving some hint of the nature of the book, as in "Vanity Fair" and "The Cloister and the Hearth." The first method has no justification. What we plead for is that a title shall contain the soul or the keynote of the book. Then the author and reader start on fair terms. Jane Austen, a consummate artist, understood this well, as in "Pride and Prejudice," but forsook her advantage in "Emma"—a better book and susceptible to as telling a title. It is difficult to estimate what would have been the loss to literature if "The Scarlet Letter" had been labeled "Hester Prynne" and "The House of Seven Gables"—a title that has worked its way into architecture—had been called "The Pyncheons."—Dr. Theodore T. Munger in Booklovers' Magazine.

Weighing a Field of Turnips.

The English farmer makes use of mathematics in his work, says a London paper. Suppose, for example, that he wishes to know the weight of his turnip crop while it is still in the ground, which is sometimes a matter of importance, a simple calculation will give him the information.

It is the custom in England to plant turnips in ridges twenty-eight inches apart; this makes ninety ridges to the acre. The farmer selects a row where the crop seems about the average and pulls up all the turnips in a measured yard of the row and weighs them.

Assuming that they weigh ten pounds, a simple calculation shows that the crop averages a little more than twenty-eight tons to the acre. If they weigh eleven pounds, the average will be about thirty-one tons to the acre.

A Famous Emerald.

The emerald is mentioned by St. John in his Apocalypse. An emerald of inestimable value ornamented the bezel of the ring of Polycrates, king of Samos. That monarch, having been all his life favored by fortune, determined to put his luck to a severe test. He threw the ring into the sea. The next day he went fishing.

The record of that day's sport still remains unbroken. His majesty caught a fine fish, and in the inside of the fish he found his ring. That happened in the year 230 of the foundation of Rome, and the ring, considered as a talisman, was placed among the royal treasures of the Temple of Concord.

America's Largest Snake.

The largest American serpent is the anaconda, which may attain a length of thirty feet. It inhabits tropical America and is a handsome animal, with dark round spots scattered over its whole body on a groundwork of rich brown. It is very fond of water and haunts the banks of rivers, lakes and streams, there lying in wait for any deer or peccary which may come to the margin of the water to drink.

Flowers and Scents.

Some flowers appear to change their scents at different times. The common jasmine flowers when first opened have a delicate, fresh perfume which, after a time, becomes grosser and attracts bluebottle flies. Flowers of the orchid Odontoglossum bebraicum have a cinnamon fragrance and a hawthorn scent at different periods of their bloom.

Two Evils.

"I can't imagine a worse gilly than the man who's forever indulging in small talk."

"Oh, I don't know! He's no worse than the fellow who is forever talking big."—Philadelphia Press.

For a Switch Off.

"I wish you'd send ma to one of those electricians' schools, pop."

"Why, what do you mean, my son?"

"She's altogether too careless with the switch, pop."—Yonkers Statesman.

Fully Explained.

"Yes, she has a case of 'nerves.'"

"What's that?"

"Well, to be frank, it's the name we use when a wealthy patient is just plain cranky."—Chicago Post.

People who grumble in cloudy weather usually wear veils when the sun shines.

SERVANTS IN ECUADOR.

The Traveler Is Forced to Hire Many to Serve Him.

If you were living in Ecuador and wished to hire a servant you could hardly get one by himself or herself, but would be compelled to take up with a drove of them, probably far outnumbering your own family. For example, with a cook you would have to receive her husband and children, and perhaps also her father and mother, into your house to bed and board, and each would bring along all his or her portable property, consisting mainly of domestic pets, such as pigs, chickens, rabbits, dogs and other "live stock." The husband may have some trade which he follows during the day, but at mealtimes and when night comes he returns to the bosom of his family and yours. It would be considered downright inhumanity to refuse them food and shelter, and not a servant in Ecuador would work for so mean a master or mistress. The children of your cook may be utilized for light services, such as running errands, weeding the garden and tending the baby, but the numerous brood is apt to be "light fingered" and certain to be lousy, dirty and probably diseased. There is no help for it, however, because "el costumbre" has decreed that for every servant you hire you must expect at least a dozen extra mouths to feed.

Nor is this the worst of it. Occasionally the cook's relatives from another village come to pay her a visit of a fortnight or two—lasting as long as you will tolerate it—men, women and children, bringing more dogs, pigs, chickens, etc., to be housed and fed. Fortunately, they are not accustomed to "downy beds of ease" or sumptuous living, but consider themselves in clover if plentifully supplied with beans, corn meal and potato soup, and will sleep contentedly on the stones of the patio or the straw of the stable. The danger is that some of the stranger hangers on may not be as honest as the cook herself is supposed to be, and cases are known where thieves and even murderers thus gained admission to the inside of the casa with disastrous results.—Philadelphia Record.

PICKINGS FROM FICTION.

Most of us look best at a little distance from one another.—"Paul Kelver."

It is only in higher circles that women can lose their husbands and yet remain bewitching.—"The Gray Wig."

No man who is not an egotist or worse is ever sure of a woman's love till she has told it with her own lips.—"His Daughter First."

When in doubt go to church, for there's nothing that lets a man think better than a long prayer and a slow sermon.—"Adam Rush."

There are sixteen ounces to the pound still, but two of them are wrapping paper in a good many stores.—"Letters of a Self Made Merchant."

I used to think that marriage made men old, sour and suspicious. I find I was mistaken. It is not the wife; it is the money market.—"Love and the Soul Hunters."

I b'lieve in havin' a good time when you start out to have it. If you git knocked out of one plan you want to git yourself another right quick, before your sperrits has a chance to fall.—"Lovey Mary."

How Climate Has Changed.

In Switzerland a mean temperature equal to that of north Africa at the present time is shown by its fossil flora to have prevailed during the miocene or middle tertiary epoch. Anthropoid apes lived in Germany and France; fig and cinnamon trees flourished at Dantzic; in Greenland, up to 70 degrees of latitude, magnolias bloomed and vines ripened their fruit, while in Spitzbergen and even in Grinnell Land, within little more than 8 degrees of the pole, swamp cypresses and walnuts, cedars, limes, planes and poplars grew freely, water lilies covered over standing pools and irises lifted their tall heads by the margins of streams and rivers.—Edinburgh Review.

When the Barber Was a Wit.

In original literature the barber is a great figure, and Arabian tales are full of him. In Italy and Spain he was often the brightest man in town, and his shop was headquarters for wit and intrigue. Jasamin became famous as a poet in southern France and recited his verses with razor, scissors, brush and comical gestures as he dressed the hair and beard of fine ladies and gentlemen in his shop. He had a great run, made money, hived fame, and Smiles made a book about him.

Her Advantage.

"Oh, dear!" said little Harold's mother, who was somewhat rheumatic. "I seem to ache all over."

"Well," said her sweet child, "I'm sorry, but not as sorry as I'd be for father if he felt that way."

"Why would you feel more sorry for your father, love?"

"'Cause they'd be such a lot more of him to ache."—Chicago Record-Herald.

Prejudice.

Judge—Do you solemnly swear to tell the truth, the whole truth and nothing but the truth?

Witness—I do.

Judge—What is your occupation?

Witness—I was employed in the weather bureau.

Judge—You are excused.—Philadelphia Telegraph.

Bad Literature.

Philanthropist—You say bad literature brought you here? What made you read it?

Convict—I didn't—I wrote it. I wuz a poet an' had ter steal ter keep from starvin'.—Judge.

NEWFOUNDLAND WRECKERS

The Bounty That Is Gleaned From a Barren Shore.

In bygone times it was the practice of the Newfoundland coast folk to appropriate everything they secured, but this lawlessness had to be sternly repressed. Now the unwritten rule is that they get "half their hand," or 50 per cent, as salvage. In portable and valuable articles, such as silverware, there is still a strong temptation to keep the whole, but the punishment is severe. Champagne, liquors, cabin stores and the like have also a trick of disappearing, and in the poorest fisher's cottage you will come upon rare china, dainty napery, silverware of price and wines to tempt an epicure. The salvors are reckless and unthinking, and as they gather in hundreds every man pre-empts what he can. In the rush there is much destroyed. When the Herder was lost in 1882 they burned whalebone worth $15,000 a ton to save leather costing 20 cents a pound. In the Emmeline wreck of 1900 they trampled crates of costly glassware to get at four cases of French prayer books valued at 25 cents apiece. On one occasion two salvors had got ashore a piano and were adopting the Solomon-like expedient of sawing it in half when a shrewder chum bought it from them for a bottle of whisky looted from the captain's cabin. When the Grasbrook went ashore in 1890 every man on the shore provided himself with a German concertina, of which instruments of torture she had a large consignment, and to secure them packages of much more costly freight were thrown overboard. When the Orion, from Baltimore for Copenhagen, struck the back of Cape Race and went to pieces she had a large consignment of bicycles on board, and they were auctioned in St. John's and disposed of all over the island. The Abbeymore's lading in 1898 included some cases of splendid English rifles for Canada, and these are now to be seen adorning every fisher's cottage along the shore.—P. T. McGrath in McClure's.

FOOD, WATER AND AIR.

The Essential Things Out of Which Blood Is Made.

These are the things out of which blood is made. If the food is nutritious and properly cooked, if the air is pure and full of oxygen, if the water is clean and free from impurities, the blood will be rich and red and full of vitality.

Barring physical accidents, there is no sickness except that depending directly upon a want of food or water or air, sometimes all three. When any one is sick the presumption is that he has been trying to subsist on poor food or vitiated air or bad water, one or more.

In order to have good food a person ought to have the first eating of it. Food that has been mussed over and left by one person is not fit to be eaten by another.

In order to have good air a person ought to have the first breathing of it. Air that has been breathed by other persons is not fit to breathe again.

Water should be fresh from some spring or well. If hydrant water must be used let it run a bit, as the house pipes are apt to be of lead and not iron like the pipes that convey the water through the city.

Food that is relished, air that cools and invigorates, water that is quaffed with eager thirst—these are the things that make blood. Put fresh air into the lungs, good food and pure water into the stomach, and nature will do the rest.—Medical Talk.

A Trick With an Egg.

Place two V shaped wineglasses of the same size near the edge of a table. In the right hand one put an egg, just fitting the rim of the glass. Hold the bases of the glasses firmly down, the top rims touching each other. Now, with a quick, sharp breath, blow upon the line where the egg and the glass meet. The egg will jump to the other glass. With a little practice this can be done every time. Be careful to blow in a line with the left hand glass, or the egg will jump in the wrong direction and land on the table with disastrous results.

Her Objection.

"Don't you think you are taking the wrong stand when you say you do not wish your son to marry, Mrs. Willoughby?" asked an intimate friend. "Don't you know it is natural and best for a young man to marry and that he will not think any the less of his mother because he has a wife?"

"Oh, it isn't that," protested Mrs. Willoughby. "I don't mind his marrying on general principles, but I don't want to be called 'the old Mrs. Willoughby.'"—New York Press.

Awake.

Sharp—Why, I almost lost money on the goods I sold to you. How much do you think I made on the order?

Byer—About twenty-five times as much.

Sharp—Twenty-five times as much as what?

Byer—As you were going to say you made.—Philadelphia Ledger.

Not Used to It.

Hostess—I wonder why your little brother seems so restless and uncomfortable?

Little Ethel—I think it's 'cause his hands is clean.—Stray Stories.

All One to Him.

"Look, papa! The duke has brought his coronet."

"Tell him to go ahead and play it. I don't mind the noise."—Life.

There are more fools than sages, and among sages there is more folly than wisdom.—Chamfort.

For weeks he expected daily some belated storm of reproaches, tears or entreaties. When they did not come, he grew suspicious and examined the monthly bills with bitter curiosity, wondering if in some way Pauline were not supplying herself with money through her power of ordering without stint. But he could discover no flagrant excess of any kind. The amounts seemed, indeed, to his masculine mind absurdly small, but then he had only his first wife's folly and mad extravagance to compare with them.

A temptation of this kind had, it is true, momentarily occurred to Pauline. It was only a few days after the beginning of her penance when Edith Arnold, her most intimate friend, came hurrying in with the suggestion that they should go to the theater together.

"I feel just like hearing 'The Geisha,' she began breathlessly as she pulled off her gloves. "I'm going to stay to lunch, and then we'll be off. I'm starved. Hope to goodness you've got something fit to eat." Edith's cheeks were very red, her teeth very white, and she poured out her words with an energy and decision which admitted of no resistance. Now, Mr. Sewall had included in the cruel minuteness of his thoughtfulness a couple of season tickets to two of the most popular theaters. Pauline suggested with what grace she could that they should go to one or the other of these, but it was all of no use. She had found it a matter of comparative ease to hide her embarrassing secret from her father and sisters, but from Edith's straightforward and unabashed persistency she could find no refuge. It was half humiliating and half a relief to tell and half painful and half amusing to hear Edith's excited comments and exclamations.

"I never heard such a thing! The old brute! Truly, Pauline, isn't it awful? But you were nasty. What an abominable thing to say to the poor old dear! Pauline, how could you?

"I don't blame him a bit. But how do you get along? Not a single cent?" Edith went off into fits of laughter, and Pauline could not help joining in a hysterical sort of way.

"No matter," went on Edith impulsively, giving Pauline a sudden and somewhat upsetting embrace. "I'll give you half my allowance every month, or a third. No, I won't either. You can get hats and dresses and things, and I'll pay you for them. All the girls will. You can set up a regular shop. It will be great sport."

Pauline listened, with a smile. She suddenly felt very old, very "married." She knew Edith did not mean a hundredth part of what she said, but these were suggestions, some of which had come to her already, by which she could easily gain ready money without much likelihood of her husband's ever discovering it. She had put them aside, however, without a struggle. She had begun to look upon this thing as a desperate sort of game in which she was determined, whatever might be the outcome, to use no unfair means, to tolerate no assistance.

She went by Edith's invitation to "The Geisha." But she did not go about much with the women of her acquaintance. She had always the dread of exposing her lack of money. She never went to church without her husband for very craven fear of the godly man who carries the contribution box. Most galling of all, she felt the necessity of refusing all help to her miserable brother.

The spring was coming on fast now, and the Hudson across the wide Riverside drive, on which the Sewalls' house fronted, lay crisp and blue under the keen April wind. Pauline had been married almost a year, and there was not a wretched waif in the city who had not felt money in her fingers more lately than the girl who had "bagged a millionaire." Josiah Sewall came home early from the city on several of these delicious days and begged for a seat with his wife when she went to drive.

Sometimes in the morning he would himself order the carriage and ask Pauline to drive with him down through the city. The park was lovely with fresh green grass and the yellow blossoms of the forsythia.

One night at this time he was looking over a report from a charitable society which Pauline had joined in accordance with his wish. "I see by this," he said suddenly, "that there was a call for extra contributions to pay for readers to the sick poor. Your name is not among those who responded," he continued, rather sternly. "I don't like to have you niggardly in such matters." Josiah Sewall was strongly philanthropic, and his displeasure made him for an instant forget. "I offered instead to read once a week myself," said his wife briefly, and, looking up with a rather flushed face, she surprised suddenly the old twinkle of the eye which was the only sign of amusement he ever showed.

It was about a week after this when one morning Pauline went in to town with her husband on the "elevated." They were to decide upon some household furnishings at a shop far down in the city. It was not the first time they had done this. Mr. Sewall always put his wife on her return train, buying her ticket and gravely saying "Goodby," as if she were a child. But on this particular day some hurry of business occupied his mind, and when they had finished their errand he shook hands abstractedly at the door of the shop and hastened off down the street. Pauline stood still, staring after him. After all, in spite of having been without a penny for all these months, she had never before felt any real physical deprivation from it.

It was 11 o'clock, and she was five miles from home—five miles of city streets, crowded and bustling, on a languid spring day, when ordinary existence becomes an effort. Pauline felt an impulse to run after her husband, but second thought forbade anything so humiliating. She knew plenty of shops where she would once have explained that she had lost or forgotten her purse, but this, too, she would not do. She would accept no money from a stranger while that of her husband was withheld. She could walk a mile to Sewall & Co.'s big shop and telephone for the brougham, but she feared encountering Josiah himself. So at last she trudged off determinedly on the long road home, somewhat weary toward the end, in spite of a certain satisfying consciousness of suffering martyrdom.

To Josiah himself the realization came suddenly a short time after he had left Pauline standing in the street. The old man was distressed and chagrined, but his hard face softened almost to a smile as he thought of the predicament of this small, quiet person, with head stubbornly upright, who had taught him so much during the past year concerning that curious puzzle, woman.

Would she be conquered of her unyielding obstinacy now? Would the prospect of five miles of hard walking send her to him after all these months to humbly beg for 5 cents, or would she get the money in some other way? He had come to understand her well enough to fancy she would not, and then came back her hateful words.

Nevertheless he said to her sharply at dinner, when they were drinking their coffee, "How did you get home this morning?"

"I walked," she answered quietly. She did not look up.

Her husband fancied she looked tired and dragged, though as a matter of fact she was not in the least so. It is a curious proof of what unpremeditated things even a seasoned and iron willed man of the world will sometimes do when Josiah Sewall impulsively thrust his hand into his pocket and drew out a handful of bills and loose change. "By heavens," said he, "it is a brutal shame! You shall never again"—

"You have no right to treat me so," she cried.

Pauline was on her feet in an instant, flushed and angry, her hands clinched at her sides.

"I will not touch one cent of your money because you pity me!" she cried excitedly.

Her husband's face, arrested a moment in his surprise, hardened again into the old stern lines. He thrust his money back again into his pocket and went on as if he had not been interrupted. "You shall never again touch it for any other reason." The anger and defiance of her eyes faced the stern scorn of his, and neither fell.

Then she flamed out again. "You were cruel to me before," she cried, "cruel and unjust. You condemned me before you heard, and when I told you I married you for money you must have known I lied. But you have no right to treat me so. I will not touch your money from pity, but I tell you I will make you give it to me as my right. I am your wife, and it is mine as well as yours. I will make you!"

Josiah Sewall sat leaning heavily forward on the table. His eyes were keen through lids nearly closed. His face was white and set, but it was not bitter, only the face of a man who pits himself against a well matched opponent and longs for the bout to begin.

"I bet you $10,000 you will never make me."

Pauline stared at him curiously, with parted lips, startled out of herself. "I'll remember that," she said, but mechanically, and then she went past him out of the room. Yet by the time she had reached her chamber she had once more that self control, had said what she did not mean, had made a fool of herself.

Pauline suffered for many days. Mr. Sewall treated her with distant coldness. There were no more drives, no more conversations. The poor girl felt with a bitter sense of injustice that she had lost the precious results of all these long months for the sake of a moment of bravado. How could she make him give her his money as her right? she asked herself scornfully. Should she go in her brougham, in her well made clothes, with all the evidences of wealth about her, to a lawyer and accuse her husband of nonsupport? Why, indeed, did she want the money now at all, excepting for poor John's sake? To gain her end would be a barren victory if she could not win with it the love and respect of this stern old man whom she had married.

And so Pauline set to work to storm her husband's stern heart through the twinkle in his eye, to bring about her "rights" with a jest, which is the only way they will ever be gained while men are men and women are wise.

One day Mr. Sewall was surprised by a request from his wife to visit in Boston an elderly aunt whom she had not seen since she was little more than a child.

It was early in June, and the request was the first she had made to him for over a year. "I shall be obliged to ask you to buy me a ticket," she said haughtily. It was evidently an effort to ask so much. Her husband stared at her in surprise. He had had a sudden vision of her, his wife, alone and penniless, in a strange city.

"Do you realize"— he began and broke off again. "You are not accustomed," he went on, rather awkwardly, "to traveling by yourself. I am going on next week myself, as you know, to make my quarterly visit at my Boston shop. Will you not wait and go with me?"

"Thank you, I believe not," said Pauline quietly. "I have made my arrangements to go sooner."

Mr. Sewall saw her off a few days later with rather curious sensations. There had been a terrible struggle in his masterful mind as to whether he should not force upon this willful girl the money she had so lately refused, but pride had held him back. He had also perhaps a suspicion that he might not succeed. He watched her serene departure with a mixture of impatience and admiration, but found himself absurdly relieved when he got a brief note a few days later announcing her safe arrival.

The house seemed lonely enough without her. Josiah Sewall was a stoic at heart, but he caught himself during these days imagining nervously all sorts of predicaments into which Pauline's penniless condition might betray her, and there were sometimes moments of unaccustomed doubt as to whether he had acted always for the best toward this second wife of his, who, in spite of everything, had brought so much peace and happiness into his life. The thought of her boasting words never failed to bring a contemptuous smile to his face, but in his heart of hearts he did not now believe she had married him for his money.

He went to Boston by the midnight train on his accustomed date. The next morning he went early, as usual, to the big branch shop which bore his name. He never failed on these visits to review personally the long line of men and women who were in his employment, paying them, as he did so, their weekly wages, for it was a part of his theory to come as intimately into contact with all the details of his business as lay in one man's power.

At the very end of the long file on this particular day he stopped short at the sight of a quiet looking girl in black.

He turned to the foreman so suddenly that the man started. "This woman is new here," he said sternly. "Where did you find her?"

Mr. Watson looked disturbed. "She came yesterday morning, sir," he said in a confidential tone of apology. "She hasn't had much experience, I guess, but she brought a very urgent note from your wife, sir, Mrs. Sewall, sir, I thought," he continued, lowering his voice so that the girl, standing with downcast eyes, should not hear, "that she might be some young lady who was driven to work because her folks were in difficulty at home"—

"She brought a note from Mrs. Sewall? Very urgent, did she?" interrupted his employer. His expression did not change, but there was something in his voice which made the foreman breathe freely once more.

"From Mrs. Sewall, you say?" repeated Josiah again, and then his glance met the glance of the girl before him, and the signal she was waiting for twinkled there.

"How much do I owe her?" went on Mr. Sewall sharply.

"Sixty-three cents, sir," answered Mr. Watson. "She has been working only half a day."

Josiah Sewall opened the drawer of his desk and pulled out his checkbook. He made out, under the startling orbs of the foreman, a check for $10,000.63, signed it and held it toward the girl. She looked up into his face gravely, but her eyes were saucy.

"I cannot accept that, sir," she said.

"Why not?" said her husband sternly. "Do you not honor my checks?"

Then she smiled at him suddenly and radiantly. "Yes," she said, "but I prefer ready money."

Mr. Dooley on Generosity.

Whin a man begins makin' money in his youth at annything but games iv chance, he niver can become gin'rous late in life. He may make a bluff at it. Some men are gin'rous with a crutch. Some men get the use iv their gin'rosity back suddenly whin they ar-re in danger. Whin Clancy, the miser, was caught in a fire in the Halsted Sthreet Palace hotel, he howled fr'm a window, "I'll give twinty dollars to anny wan that'll take me down!" Cap'n Minehan put up a laddher an' climbed to him an' carrid him to the sthreet. Half way down the laddher the brave rayscooer was seen to be chokin' his helpless burdhen. We discovered afftherwards that Clancy had thried to begin negotyations to rayjooce the reward to foive dollars. His gin'rosity had become suddenly par'lyzed again.

So if ye'd stay gin'rous to the end niver l'ave yer gin'rosity idle too long. Don't run it ivry hour at the top iv its speed, but fr'm day to day give it a little, gintle exercise to keep it supple an' hearty, an' in due time ye may injye it. —"Observations by Mr. Dooley."

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The Wausau Record is agitating the matter of establishing a public bathouse on the river bank for the use of the small boy in bathing. It says that the police are kept busy chasing the youngsters who will persist in swimming, and it deplores the fact that they have no place to bathe, telling of the many advantages that may be gained from a good bath in the hot whether. Of course the boys ought to swim if they want to, and there is no need of the police chasing them provided they are properly clothed for the occasion. The boys should be required to use a bathing suit, and nobody cares how much they swim. Dozens of boys may be seen swimming in this city every day, and they cause the police no trouble worth mentioning, and it is a pleasure to see them splashing about in the water on a hot day.

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It is reported that the Chicago & Northwestern railway company has issued an order prohibiting its train men from wearing shirtwaists. The shirtwaists may be worn, but not outside so as to get the benefit of their coolness. It seems that the shirtwaist had become quite popular among the trainmen, as they found it a means of keeping cool during the hottest weather. The ruling of the company seemes decidedly arbitrary and needlessly severe in prohibiting their employes this comfort. It certainly is not on account of the looks, for a man in a neat cool shirtwaist on a hot day is much more presentable than one with a blue uniform on that causes him to go about perspiring to an offensive degree.

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For a number of years past The Chicago Tribune has kept a record of the accidents which occur in this country as a result of the annual celebration of the Fourth of July, and although the list for this year is not yet complete the statistics thus far gathered show the following results: Killed outright and deaths resulting as a consequence of injuries received on the Fourth, fifty-six; injured, 3,667; number of runaways, eighty-one; fire loss capable of being traced to causes connected with the celebration, $400,625.

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The Common Council of Stevens Point is considering the feasibility of taxing the electric light and telephone poles in the city; one dollar for each pole with one cross arm and ten cents for each additional cross arm. This would mean an income of about $2500 to the city from this source. Sounds all right, but as the users of the system would eventually have to pay the tax, it seems to us as tho it would be better to spread it over all of the assessable property in the city, which would make it more equitable to all.

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Colonel Vilas has been mentioned as a possible candidate for the presidency on the democratic ticket. The colonel is not a whirlwind politician of the style of some others that are looking for the nomination, but it strikes us that he would get good support from the thinking people of the country who know anything of him.

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Bryan says it would be a tragedy should Cleveland be nominated for the presidency. He doesn't state what it would be if he were nominated again, but it would probably prove a comedy, like the other two times. We should prefer a little tragedy now for a change.

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LaCrosse Leader and Press: the Story of forty Grand Rapids people being poisoned by eating ice cream is a good one for the young man who has one or more lady friends with an appetite for summer dishes—especially toward the end of the week.

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Gun Club Scores.

The gun club held four events at their grounds on Sunday afternoon, during which some fairly good scores were made. Following are the scores:

First event—Brown 20, Mosher 20, Scott 21, F. Boles 18, Nash 19, Drumb 22, Mason 21, Church 19, W. Carey 19, Taylor 5, Conway 13, C. Boles 6.

Second event—Brown 22, Mosher 19, Scott 19, F. Boles 24, Nash 19, Drumb 23, Mason 21, Church 20, Carey 18, Taylor 16, Conway 12.

Third event—Brown 21, Mosher 20, Scott 21, Boles 23, Nash 20, Drumb 23, Mason 17, Taylor 18.

Fourth euent—Brown 19, Nash 22, Mason 21, Mosher 18, Scott 21, Taylor 20.

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A Marshfield Case.

Frank Jadack brought suit against John Hyland on Monday, the case being before Justice Brown, and tried before a jury. Jadack tried to recover some money that he paid for rent, but the jury could not see it his way and brought in a verdict of no cause for action and the case was dismissed. Both of the principals are from Marshfield.

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All wool at per yd..........***40***c
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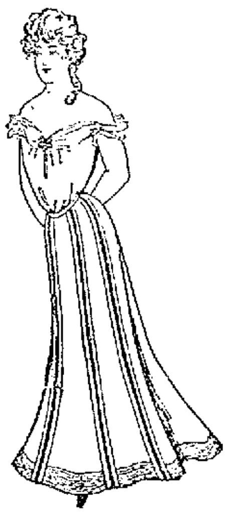

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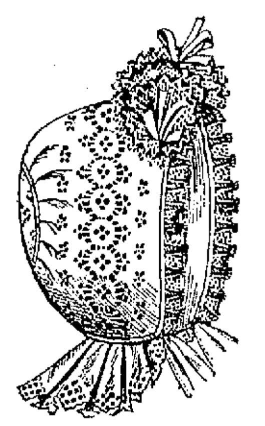
High neck, gauze, long sleeve Vests, worth 10c, sale......***5***c



Infant's Lawn Hoods, very fancy,
50c quality................***38***c
25c quality................***15***c

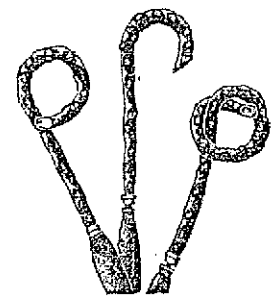
100 different styles from ***5***c to ***10***c each.

Infant's long white Coats, silk embroidery, 3.00 value ***2 00***, 2.00 value ***1 00***.

Child's Parasols, 20c to 35c grade, all go at.................***12***c

Parasols

Clearance of Ladies' white and colored fancy Parasols, ruffled and plain.



5.00 Parasols.............***3 25***
3.00 " ***1 75***
2.00 " ***1 00***

All silk Parasols, black and colored, worth 2.50 at...***1 75***

Children's Caps

Clearance of Children's summer Caps, white and colored:

50c grade...................***37***c
25c " ***19***c

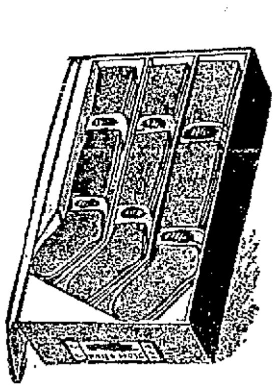
A special lot of about 100 Caps at...........................***5***c

Pictures

Special Picture offering; of interest to school and Sunday school teachers for home decorations. Very acceptable as Christmas gifts and the biggest bargain ever offered in the picture line in this city. We have 1,500 of these, so that all may avail themselves of special offering. These placques are 8 inches in diameter, beautiful gold frame around, colonial pictures in high colors mounted on gold mat with glass and chain and black border, making a most beautiful picture. Price for each ***12***c.

Hosiery

Clearance of Ladies' Hosiery:



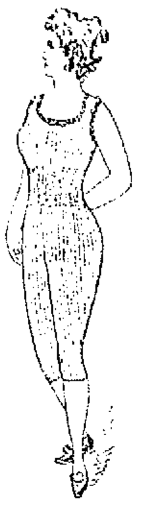
25c to 35c black lace, stripe and fancy colors; the stylish weaves all go at...................***19***c
Children's extra heavy, fast color black, 25c value, sale......***15***c
Children's black with white polka dot, sizes from 6 to 10, a regular 15c value, sale.........***10***c

Shoes

Clearance of Ladies' and Misses' Shoes:

Ladies 3.oo to 5.oo Button Shoes, sizes 2 to 4, all at per pair ***39***c
5o pair of Ladies' Slippers, black and tan, 1.25 value, sale..***75***c
Child's Sandle Slippers, black and tan, latest styles, sizes 5 to 1o, 1.oo value, sale.......***65***c
Size 11 to 2...............***75***c
Infant's red Sandle Slippers, 3 to 5, sale...................***40***c
1oo pair of Men's Low Shoes, Oxford ties, and Slippers, value from 1.25 to 2.5o, all to close at per pair...............***75***c

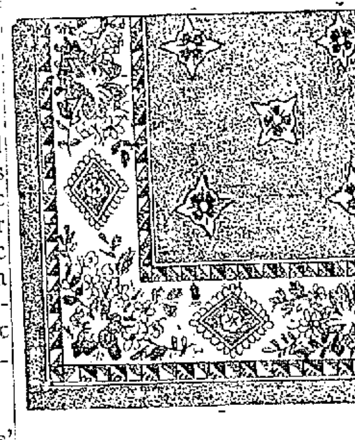
Combination Suits



Clearance of Ladies' summer Combination Suits, both long sleeve, short sleeve and no sleeve, high and low neck, as accompanying cut, at ***19***c.

Lace Curtains

Clearance of Lace Curtains:



5o pair of Lace Curtains, white, 2¾ yds. long, 4o in. wide, special price per pair.....***60***c
5o pair of beautiful, white Curtains, 3½ yds. long, 51 in. wide, a regular 2.5o value, at this sale.................***1.69***

Duck Hats

Clearance of Men's and Boys' Duck Hats:

50c value..................***25***c
25c " ***15***c

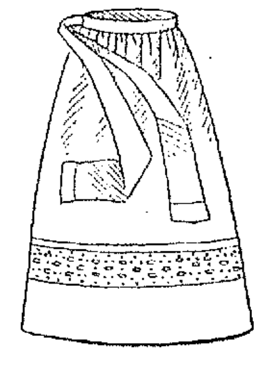
Corsets

Clearance of Misses' Corset waists, slate and white:

50c value, sale..............***19***c
G. & D. Corset waists, the summer styles, 1.00 quality...***69***c
1,000 yds. of fancy Ginghams that sold for 12½c to 20c per yard, clearance............***8***c
50c Wash goods, such as Lawns, Dimities, Batiste, Mulls, must all go at per yd...........***25***c
25c to 35c Summer Goods, many new, neat patterns and will gladden the heart of many shoppers, per yd..........***15***c
10 and 15c black Lawn per yd. ***6***c

Aprons and Drawers

Clearance of Ladies' Aprons:



1o doz. Ladies' white lawn Aprons, as cut, also with ruffled straps over shoulder, value from 25c to 75c, sale...........***18***c
5 doz, Ladies' lace trimmed cambric drawers, 35c value, at ***19***c

Notions

6½ inch black rubber combs, a 10c value, sale.............5c
Good Envelopes per bunch....***1***c
Forty in a box, Black Mourning Pins, per box.............***1***c
10 yd. sheets colored Shelf Paper only.......................***3***c
100 Slate Pencils, 6 in. long, ***15***c
6 good Pens..................***1***c
Stocking Darners, 5c value...***3***c
3 spools O. N. T. Darning Cotton.........................***5***c
1,ooo yds. Val. Lace, 2 yds for ***1***c
7 Darning Needles..........***1***c
Ladies' Linen Collars, 2 for..***5***c

25c and 30c fine Japanese Straw Matting at per yd........***20***c

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July 20th to 31st.

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Dry Goods Department.

JOHNSON & HILL CO.

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Clearing Sale!

BEFORE STOCK TAKING.

If you profit by our mistake, our loss is your gain. "Irrthum ist Menschlich" says the old German adage, or it is human to err, and so far as heard from the only persons who make no mistakes are those that do nothing.

Not being of this latter sort we have bought too much in some lines and the wrong sizes in others, too expensive in others, etc., etc.

15 per cent. discount on Silk and Wool Dress Goods.

The Best Place to buy Clothing IS AT OUR STORE

TWENTIETH SIS CENTURY

Wash Goods Section

(Second Floor.)

Our buying was our mistake and if prices will do the work we won't have a yard left by Aumust 1st.

3c Lawns	2c
5c Lawns	3c
10c Lawns	6c

Suitable for Dresses, Sacques, Camonas, Wrappers, etc., one full case of Ginghams, bought for this sale at 4½c yd.

Best Calico ends, 1 to 12 yds. each 4c yd.

Linen Department.

2nd Floor.

To make the sale interesting we shall sell them all at

10 per cent discount

including Napkins and everything in this line—Pure Linen Crash; etc.

60 DOZEN TURKISH TOWELS

The 25c kind at **$1.50** per dozen.

Not more than one dozen to a customer.

This is lower than we can buy them today.

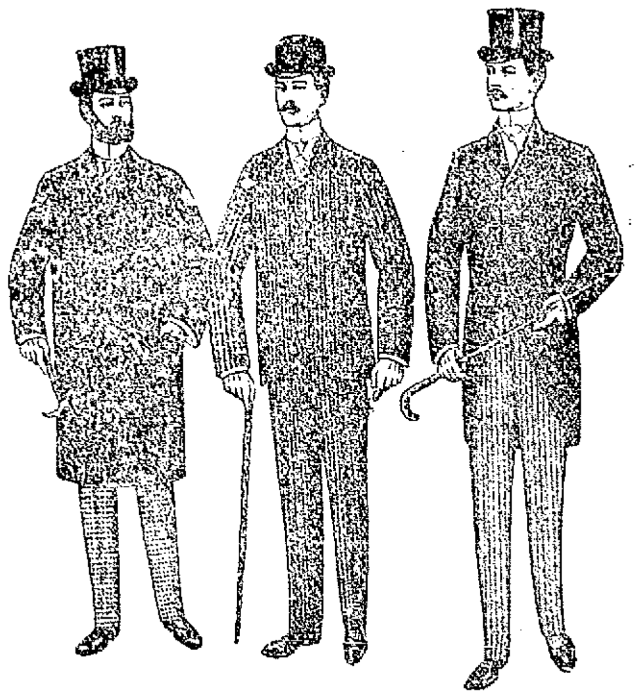
Carpet Specials.

ALL WOOL TWO-PLY AT

59c ***per yd***

We do this to get you acquainted with our large line of Draperies, etc., on 2nd Floor.

75 Men's Suits at half price



100 Boys' Suits at half price

Some of them slightly damaged, others brand new.

We never allow our stock to get low, and shall sell all new just in goods at ONE LOW PRICE TO ALL.

We shall also include in this sale many goods we haven't room to describe, such as **Straw Hats,** the 35c to $1.50 kind (little soiled) all at **10c each.** Ladies' Skirts, Suits, Ribbons, Gloves, Hose, etc. **From 10 to 25 per cent. discount.**

This sale will continue during July. Come early to get a good choice.

Umbrellas

All Styles at prices from 25c to $6.00 each.

15 per cent discount.

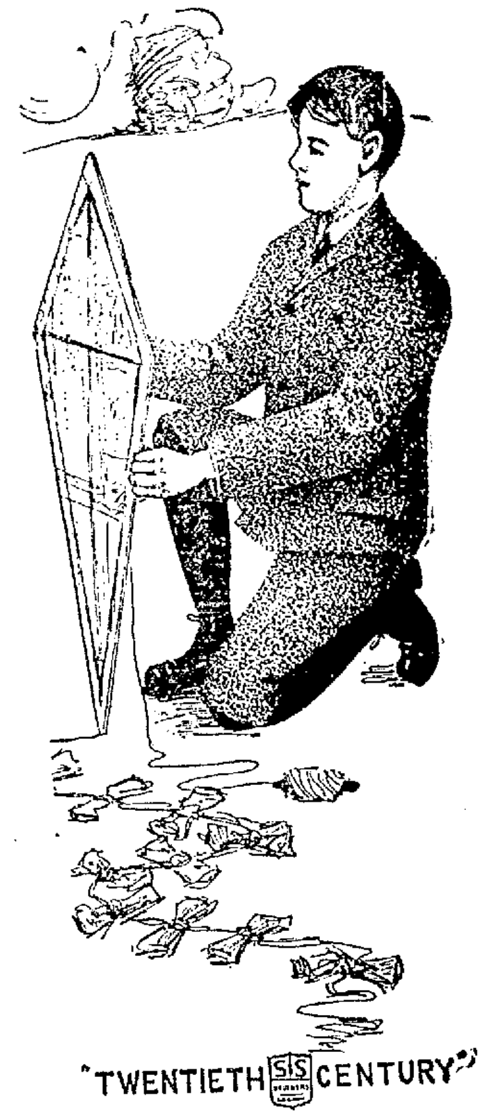
We can please you just as easy.

LACE CURTAINS.

(2nd Floor.)

Thirty styles, bought direct from the factory. We invite you to see them. They are absolutely the best for the money that we ever saw, 75c to $8 per pair. Pretty designs.

We Lead Them all IN QUALITY, FIT AND STYLE.



"TWENTIETH SIS CENTURY"

To make room for our incoming Lace and Embroidery and Allover stocks we shall discount all prices

25c on the dollar

And it is admitted by all that our big line compares favorably with Milwaukee and Chicago stores.

Prices 1c to $3.00 per yd.

MUST BE SOLD.

Ladies' and Children's *SHOES*

The Minola

SEE THAT THIS
Queen Quality
TRADE MARK IS BRANDED ON EVERY SHOE.
Kibo Kid.
Light Sole.
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Exact Reproduction of this Style Shoe.

WILL BE SOLD

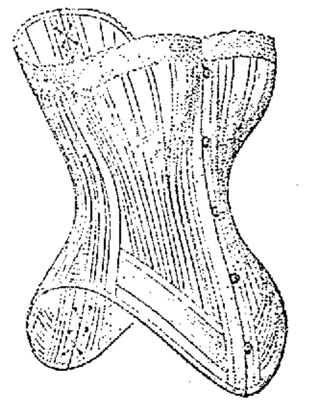
100 pairs, was from $1 to $2, at per pair	75c
100 pairs Child's Shoes, was 50 to 75c, at	35c

These will be arranged on 1st Floor.

HELP YOURSELF.

Men's Shoes from ¾ to ½ price. Many good things—just happen to be odd pairs, etc. See for yourself.

10 doz Shirt Waists, was 50c to $1.50 now each	39c
50 Corsets, was 50c, 75c and $1.00, now each	39c



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Curtain Rods, 54 in. extension	8c

We take measure for Shades all widths and hang for same price anywhere in the city.

Market Prices.

The following are the market prices of produce in the city of Grand Rapids corrected on the day of publication:

Potatoes, ₩ bushel New [illegible]	[illegible]
Wheat, No. 2, ₩ bushel	.65
Rye, ₩ bushel	.45
Oats, ₩ bushel	.35
Corn, shelled, ₩ 100 lbs	.90
Hay, marsh, ₩ ton	5.00
Hay, timothy, ₩ ton	7.00
Eggs, ₩ dozen	.15
Butter, ₩ ℔	12 @ .20
Beans, ₩ bushel	1.75 @ 2.00
Peas, ₩ bushel	.70
Onions, ₩ bushel	.75
Beef, live, ₩ 100 lbs	$2.00 @ 3.50
Beef, dressed, ₩ 100 lbs	$5.00 @ 6.00
Pork, live	5.00
Pork, dressed	7.00
Veal, live, ₩ ℔	.04
Veal, dressed, ₩ ℔	.06 @ .07
Chickens, live, ₩ ℔	@ .9
Chickens, dressed, ₩ ℔	@ .12
Turkeys, live, ₩ ℔	.8
Turkeys, dressed, ₩ ℔	13 @ .15
Flour, patent, ₩ bbl	4.50
Feed, ₩ ton	23.00
Middlings, ₩ ton	16.50
Bran, ₩ ton	16.00
Bolted Corn Meal, bbl	3.50
Lard, ℔	.12
Whole Hams, ℔	.15
Mess Pork, bbl	16.00

Warning.

If you have kidney or bladder trouble and do not use Foley's Kidney Cure, you will have only yourself to blame for results, as it positively cures all forms of kidney and bladder diseases.

NEW SHOES!

I have just unpacked a large consignment of the very latest in footwear. Here are some that I have:

Dr. Reed's Cushion sole shoe for sore feet. If your feet bother you, try a pair of these.

J. P. Smith Stag Shoe,

$3, $3.50 and $4

Ladies Fine Turned Oxfords, the Julia Marlowe. You know all about the Julia Marlowe.

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PRESS PABULUM.

The Function of Nature Books.

Mabel Osgood Wright, author of many excellent volumes on birds, contributes the April Critic an article along much the same lines as those followed by John Burroughs in his recent essay in the Atlantic. Mrs. Wright also has something to say against the writers of incredible animal stories, dubbing them "the school of the long bow," but she is inclined to take a philosophical view of these offenders.

She thinks there is no use in worrying over the strict credibility of nature books, since the worthless ones may be trusted to disappear and the good ones to survive. The essential thing is that people should be stimulated to go out into the fields and wood and to study the secrets of nature for themselves. So let the nature books come—good, bad and indifferent—if only they induce people to get away from paved streets and the wilderness of chimney pots, and to feel "one impulse from a vernal wood."

This would be well enough if one could believe that the "long bow" writers really influenced people to go to the field, forest and brookside. It is more likely, however, that those who care for sensational nature books do not care for nature. The remarkable demand for books about outdoor subjects which has marked the last decade is due to the intensity of our business life rather than to any writers, good or bad. The books are the result of the demand rather than the cause of it. The nature movement is a reaction on the part of weary brains and bodies, fagged with too much indoor work. Some tired men and women go out under the sky and "list to nature's teachings," while others let this healthy impulse carry them no farther than the reading of books that talk about the pure air which they ought to be breathing.

The only nature book that is of real value is the one that lures you out of doors, and the book that substitutes fables for truth is not of the kind to do this.—Chicago Record Herald.

Who Smiles in the Rain.

The coward may smile
When there's sun all the while -
It's braver to smile in the rain.
The weakest may joy
When there's naught to annoy -
He's stronger who smiles through his pain.
And then when there's sun, when there's bird song and breeze,
When gloom's put to route and discouragement flees,
What need has the world
Of the mouth corners curled
In the cherriest smiles, when the fields and trees
Are smiling so broadly that nobody sees
The wee bit of brightness your giving the while?
But days when its rainy there's need for your smile.

The weakling may smile
When there's brightness the while--
It's better to smile when there's rain.
Thegloomster may joy
When there's naught to annoy--
He's brave who can laugh thru his pain
When all the wide world is full of song
That birds sing and brooklets go warbling along.
With heart light as chaff
All the earth seems to laugh --
The sunny day courage says not that you are
Thru hearty good cheer one could never call wrong
But oh! when the day is all haggard and gray
And Nature weeps gloomily, sobbing away--
Then laugh in the hope of the sweet afterwhile!
On days when it's rainy there's need for your smile.
—S. W. Gillilan, in Baltimore America.
The sweetest season of all the year,
Is the time when the swallows and spring are here.
And the heart's-ease blossoms for hearts delight,
Bursts forth from green to white.
Our lives are little, but our times are great
We come, we see, we linger, and we pass;
Weave but a single thread in web of state,
Or give the field a single spear of grass.
We are too often like a boyish class,
Where each one stumbles thru his dozen lines
And looks bewildered at the stubborn mass
Of foreign words and intricate designs,—
But lo! when all is done, thru all an Iliad shines.—Rossiter Johnson.

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WISCONSIN CENTRAL LINES.

	South Bound.		North Bound	
	A. M.	P. M.	A. M.	P. M
Marshfield	7:30	2:20	10:45	6:05
Arpin	7:55	2:45	10:20	5:35
Vesper	8:07	2:57	10:08	5.23
Grand Rapids	8:30	3:20	9:45	5:05
Port Edwards	8:40	3:30	9:35	4:55
Nekoosa	8:50	3:40	9:25	4:45
		A. M.	P. M.	
Minneapolis		7:25	5:35	
St. Paul		8:00	5:00	
Eau Claire		11:00	2:00	9:20
Chippewa Falls		11:30	1:30	8:50
		P. M.	A. M.	
Marshfield		2:14	10:45	6:05
Grand Rapids		3:20	9:45	5.05
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Milwaukee..........Ar	10:45	3:35	5:15	7:55
Fond du Lac..........Lv	9:05	1:35	6:35	10:03
		A M		
Red Granite Jct....Ar		11:80		10:00
Spring Lake........Lv		11:15		10:14
Red Granite........Lv		10:55		10:35
		P M		
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Wautoma..........Lv	6:38	11:24	8:45	12:53
Wild Rose..........Lv	6:22	11:16	9:05	12:19
Almond..........Lv	6:00	10:50	9:27	12:41
Bancroft..........Lv	5:38	10:38	9:40	12:51
Kellner..........Lv	5:14	10:14	10:05	1:17
Grand Rapids........Lv	5:15	10:00	10:05	1:32
Vesper..........Lv	......	9:32	......	1:55
Arpin..........Lv	......	9:17	......	2:10
Marshfield..........Lv	......	8:45	......	2:45

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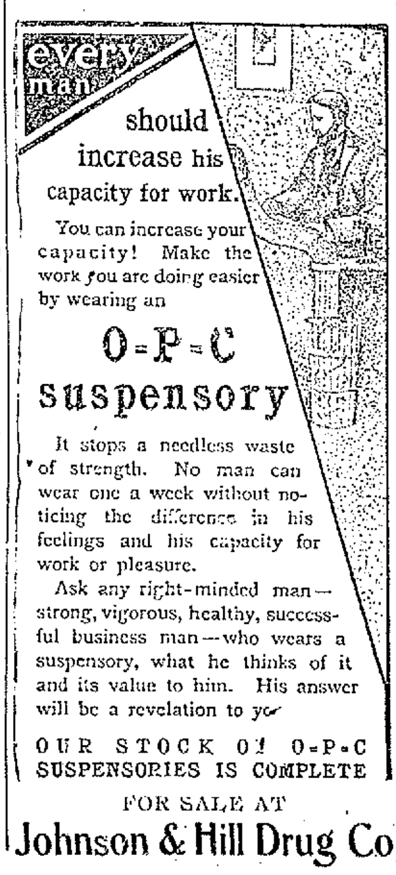

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A bank officer, referring in a recent address to the responsibility of paying tellers, declares that the idea that such officials were rarely willing to rectify mistakes had little basis in fact. He added: "How is it that there exists in the minds of many the idea that paying tellers are inclined to resent even the suggestion that they make errors in counting money? I have never known one who made the slightest claim to infallibility. Who has not heard the ancient and oft told story of a teller who was asked by a person for whom he has cashed a check if he had not made a mistake? As the narrative usually runs the self satisfied money counter behind the desk is inclined to become indignant and replies in a pompous and abrupt manner that he never makes mistakes. The considerate party then states that the amount paid him exceeded that named in the check, but the teller still maintains that there can be no error either way, as he never makes mistakes.

"Where is the teller who upon being told he had made an error would fail to politely inquire as to the nature of the same? The inference is that tellers are possessed of so much vanity and conceit that they lose the amount said to be overpaid rather than acknowledge an error. How unlikely and ridiculous!"—New York Post.

Justus von Liebig.

Von Liebig was skillful in correcting popular delusions on scientific subjects. A notable example of this may be found in the overthrow of the once much discussed theory of "spontaneous combustion," a comparatively modern error, dating, it seems, only from the year 1725, but which persisted long after Lavoisier had explained the real nature of fire, which was from time to time put forward with success in the defense of persons on trial for murder and received its last support from Charles Dickens. His success in this direction throws a pleasant light on the progress of civilization. One wonders what would have been the fate of Von Liebig had he opposed himself to such an error in the sixteenth century when Kepler could only save his mother from going to the stake for witchcraft by satisfying her judges that she possessed none of the signs essential to a witch. In those days Kepler did not dare to say that there were no such things as witches.—W. A. Shenstone in Cornhill Magazine.

Phrenology.

Phrenology is usually thought to have been first expounded by Gall and Spurzheim and to be a comparatively modern so called "science." But it can be traced back to the sixteenth century at least, for in a book published at that time by "Mayster Jherome of Bruynswicke" is a profile of a head on which are most distinctly marked phrenological attributes. "Imaginativa" occupies the place now given on the charts to "ideality;" "fantasia" takes the place of the modern "marvelousness," "estimantia" of "constructiveness," while "cogitantia" is given instead of "hope." The author states that the brain hath cells or chambers, and each cell contains a part of the understanding, and that these parts may be expressly seen in the figure of the head. Phrenologists can at least disclaim against their beliefs being newfangled.—London Chronicle.

Hat Etiquette.

Tipping the hat is a rare thing among men when there are no women around. A few fine old fellows cherish the habit of tipping to each other and to strangers when introduced, but ordinarily the hand never touches the brim. In business offices there is no sort of etiquette. Men in the sweep and rush of business have no time to give thought to hats. But certain decencies should prevail. On entering a private office look at the head of the occupant. If he has his hat on, keep yours on; if his hat is off, remove yours. The removal of your hat is a compliment and a courtesy and does not indicate that you are inferior or subservient.—New York Press.

Her Age.

"Madam," replied the judge sternly, "you must answer the question. What is your age?"

"I was born the same year your honor was. That would make me about"—

"It isn't necessary to go into particulars," interposed the judge stiffly. "Gentlemen, have you any further use for the witness? You may stand aside, madam."

A Typographical Error.

"I've come," said the visitor, "to see why you called me a political jobber in your paper today."

"I regret that error of the types quite as much as you," replied the editor.

"Ah! Then you didn't mean to call me that?"

"No, sir. I wrote 'robber' very distinctly."—Philadelphia Press.

Rejoicing With Her.

Minnie—Well, I'm glad Kit Spurlong is going to be married at last.

Lutie—The tone of your voice doesn't indicate it.

Minnie—But I am. When the list of marriage licenses is published everybody will find out she's thirty-seven years old.—Chicago Tribune.

Absent Minded.

"Butterfly is awfully absent minded."

"What is his latest?"

"He was driving a nail and hammered his thumb. He howled and put the nail in his mouth and tried to fling his thumb on the floor."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

PUSHING "KID" STARK TO JUSTICE

[Original.]

"Kid" Stark was twenty-five, his wife forty, when they bought the Peach Orchard farm. The wife had money.

Mrs. Stark seemed to have something of a roving disposition, while her husband was as fond of quiet as an old man. She would go away, remaining absent sometimes for a few weeks, sometimes a few months. She had a head for business and the faculty of keeping her affairs to herself. When she returned it was noticed at the bank where she kept an account that she usually had money to deposit.

One evening after dark Stark drove his wife to the station, and when he returned several men who had called at the farm to win his vote for a coming election reported that he was very much depressed. Indeed they found it impossible to get his attention to the matter about which they had called.

When four months passed and Mrs. Stark did not return the wagging tongues started in for a clatter, which grew louder and louder, then subsided into mysterious whisperings. A year passed and no return of the wanderer. Two years after Mrs. Stark's departure Stark, who had not touched any money deposited in his wife's name, presented a check bearing her signature for $1,000. But the bank officials, who had long been suspicious that he had murdered his wife and believed that he would not be satisfied till he had appropriated all her funds, scrutinized the check and pronounced it a forgery. Stark was arrested for the crime. Since there was no evidence of murder, that charge could not be added.

When it came to trial an expert pronounced Mrs. Stark's signature a forgery. The body of the check was in Stark's handwriting. The expert on cross examination explained to the court that there were certain letters in the signature which were made very differently by Stark and his wife, the expert stating that Stark in trying to change the mode of making these letters had made a lamentable failure. Stark was convicted, and, since everybody believed that he had killed his wife, the judge gave him a sentence of twenty years' imprisonment.

There were many people in Brownville—those of the wagging tongues—who were very much chagrined that Stark was not prosecuted for murder. These persons could not understand why when all the correlative circumstances pointed to murder still there was not tangible evidence necessary for conviction. They hounded the prosecuting attorney till he went to work with a will, secured the depositions of the men who had seen Stark on the evening of his wife's departure, found some garments belonging to Mrs. Stark buried on the place, and on this framed a theory for prosecution, and had Stark taken from jail to be tried for murder.

By this time it was plain to every one not only that Stark had murdered his wife, but that there was very good evidence at hand to prove it. There were people who had been as obstinate with regard to Stark's innocence as the wagging tongues had been in maintaining his guilt. These people now gave up in the face of the evidence and long before the trial public opinion had pronounced him guilty. Everything conspired to bring him to justice. He had been convicted of forging his wife's name to get her money, the circumstantial evidence all pointed to her murder, the prosecuting attorney had every inducement to convict him, the police were desirous of closing the mystery and stopping the murmurings under which they had so long suffered for not solving it.

The prosecuting attorney proved by the men who had visited Stark on the evening of Mrs. Stark's disappearance that he had acted as if he had just committed a murder. The exhumed clothing was proved by competent witnesses to have been that worn by Mrs. Stark when she disappeared. These were the principal circumstances proving Stark's guilt, though there were many minor ones. The prosecuting attorney made a masterly effort, in which he scathingly referred to the prisoner having married this thrifty woman to get her money and had murdered her in order to get it the quicker. The prisoner sat with a dazed look on his face that experienced court officials pronounced the same as that universally worn by those guilty of a great crime. The prosecuting attorney was holding the court spellbound by a picture of Stark luring his poor but trusting wife under cover of the darkness to some isolated spot and had lowered his voice with the words, "And drove it to the hilt," when there was a commotion at the door, and a woman pushed her way forward with every evidence of excitement. She was Mrs. Stark. Without a word she plunged for the prisoner, took him in her arms, and his head fell on her shoulder in a dead faint.

Mrs. Stark had gone abroad on a business venture. She had written her husband one letter, which had miscarried, then had entered a barbarous country, where she was detained on a false charge with a view to appropriating considerable funds she had with her. Then she had the bad luck to be shipwrecked and was obliged to sail around the globe before getting home. The check she had signed in blank on the evening of her departure in case of need and in a great hurry. The clothes had been buried to be deodorized from the perfume of a skunk.

The Starks lived happily together till Mrs. Stark died, after which her husband was inconsolable and in spite of being still a young man with plenty of means never married again.

BESSIE L. LANE.

SUGAR BEET SEED.

The Desirability of a Single Germ Seed Ball.

In February last I had the honor to suggest to the officials of the department of agriculture the idea of producing single germ beet balls as one means of materially reducing the necessary quantity of seed, eliminating the labor of thinning and bunching beets and thereby lowering the cost of producing sugar from beet roots.

In America our inventive genius has largely eliminated hand work in both field and factory, and the most serious obstacle to sugar beet culture is the hand work of thinning the beets after they are planted and of topping them when they are plowed out. The work of perfecting a successful pulling and topping machine to do away with hand labor and at the same time save $5 to $8 per acre has reached the point where perfect success can be confidently expected within a few years. To remove the necessity for thinning would not only save a like amount in labor, but would greatly increase, if not double, the tonnage by removing one of the main causes of low tonnage—namely, the injury inflicted on the remaining roots by the removal of the superfluous ones.

Investigations and experiments have already been started by the department of agriculture, and it is hoped that the state experiment stations may be led to undertake similar lines of investigation. The first questions involved have to do with the selection of single germ seed already in existence and then the planting and growing of these seeds to get this characteristic fixed. After this is accomplished of course it will be necessary to follow all of the intricacies of sugar content, size, etc. All of this will take time, and it will undoubtedly require several years before practical results can be attained.

Multiple Germs and Hand Thinning.

No other work has such an influence on the tonnage as that of thinning. It is the most expensive and laborious work attached to the culture of sugar beets, and to attain the best results it must be most carefully done at the right time. This careful labor is necessitated by the peculiar character of the beet seed, which, unlike an ordinary germ seed, is really a combination of from one to six seeds, each entirely separate and disconnected from the others, but all incased in what is called a "beet ball," an irregular shaped structure of brittle woody matter about as large as a French pea. The seeds themselves form but a mere fraction of the ball, the great abundance of woody matter surrounding them being provided by nature to aid the germs themselves in various ways. Soaked in water, the porous beet ball will absorb 65 per cent of its weight in moisture in twenty-four hours and when planted in damp ground rapidly draws the moisture to it.—Truman G. Palmer in Report on Progress of Beet Sugar Industry.

One Must "Step Lively" In Haying.

The principal risk is with clover hay. If cut in June the weather is so fickle and showery that the hay is in danger of being wet and badly damaged in the swath, windrow or low cock. Our way is to watch the barometer and the winds and cut about 2 to 4 p. m., when the weather promises to be fair for forty-eight hours, ted before sundown, ted twice more before noon next day, rake by 3 p. m. and cock it in tall, slim cocks or even draw it right to the barn if it is dry enough. Tedding with a good one horse or two horse tedder costs very little, and three or even four teddings may fit the clover for the barn in twenty-four hours from cutting and save the fuss of cocking and opening and the danger of drenching. One should be alive in haying time.—Ohio Farmer.

Ideal Strawberry Cultivation.

The ideal method of cultivating strawberries, according to one authority, is to have the land at all times in about the condition it would be if worked with a garden rake, and this can only be secured when tools with narrow teeth are used. If the soil is inclined to bake it will often be advisable to break the crust that forms about the plants after a rain, and during the season it should not be neglected whenever necessary to keep down the weeds and prevent the formation of a crust. As a substitute for the hoe a light potato hook is recommended, as this can be used to work closely about the plants without danger of injuring them and will leave the surface in better condition than the hoe.

Apples In Montana.

Such varieties of apples as King of Thompkins County, Rome Beauty, Ben Davis, McIntosh Red, Bethel, Delaware Red, Alexander, Wealthy, Yellow Transparent and many other common market apples are grown to perfection in the bitterroot and plains country of Montana.

One Thing and Another.

After experiment and investigation into the use of branding fluid the Arizona experiment station comes to the conclusion that the hot iron still gives most satisfactory results.

If trees and plants are dormant or nearly so when planted they may be set successfully as late as July if the irrigation facilities are all right, says Denver Field and Farm.

Flax and hemp are said to thrive well under irrigation.

"Strong gumbo or alkaline soils should not be planted to orchard trees nor soils underlaid near the surface with hardpan," advises the Montana experiment station.

"The Duty of Water In Montana" is the second of a series of farmers' bulletins on irrigation topics issued by the experiment station of the state.

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SHORT LOCALS

—Wright the barber. 315 Cran. St.

—Girls Wanted—Inquire at the Witter House.

Mrs. Eugene Sparks of the east side is reported seriously ill.

D. D. Conway went to Madison yesterday on legal business.

Charles Podawiltz spent Sunday with friends in Neillsville.

G. C. Hyde of Nekoosa was a visitor in the city on Friday evening.

A. E. Germer of Dexterville transacted business in the city on Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Possley of Biron spent Sunday with friends in Green Bay.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Harvey returned on Friday from their wedding tour.

Mrs. A. E. Keenan of Dexterville was in the city on Tuesday doing some shopping.

Jesse Hopgood and Geo. LeBreche attended the Saenger picnic at Marshfield on Sunday.

The Big Four will leave Monday for a few weeks tour around the surrounding country.

Miss Carrie Briere entertained a number of her friends at a thimble party Friday afternoon.

Guy Wood returned on Friday from the east, having been absent the past winter attending school.

Attorney Frank Bump of Wausau transacted legal business in the city on Thursday and Friday.

F. Beadle, the all around handy man, was a visitor in Stevens Point the fore part of the week.

Emil M. Doerr of Watertown is in the city the guest of his sister, Mrs. Gus Zillmer of the south side.

Attorney George L. Williams of Milwaukee was in the city the fore part of the week on business.

G. W. Brown, chairman of the county board, was a business visitor at the court house on Monday.

Dan Ellis and bride returned from Kaukauna last week and will make their home in this city with Dan Baily.

I. E. Cooley has resigned his position as foreman of the Leader office. He is succeeded by Mr. Williams of Nekoosa.

Miss Mayme Daly entertained a number of guests on Thursday evening in honor of her friend, Miss Shea of Merrill.

John Wheir, who has been at Merrill where he was in the employ of Dan McKercher, returned to this city on Saturday.

Al Menier returned on Monday from Watertown. Mrs. Menier, who had been visiting her people there, also returned home.

Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Cameron of Milwaukee are in the city, the guests of Mrs. Cameron's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Tennant.

Andrew King purchased two lots on the east side of John A. Gaynor last week and expects to build a residence thereon this fall.

Mrs. Charles Ratelle of Loyal is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Dudley, and other relatives in this city.

Mrs. Solon Sutliff of Woodboro, who has been visiting her relatives in this city for some time past, returned home on Tuesday.

—W. A. Dawes has put in a large stock of shoe taps to sell at whole sale. Stores handling the same, please take notice.

James Carrington, who has been living at Loyal, has removed his family to this city and expects to make his home here.

Miss Marie Labrot returned to her home on Thursday from Shawano where she had been the past two weeks visiting her brothers.

Prof. Alex Zenier of Appleton was in the city for a few days last week, visiting his friends and the scenes of his younger days.

Joe Corriveau returned on Friday night from San Francisco where he had been getting out a book for the G. A. R. encampment.

W. J. Conway, Arthur G. Miller and C. S. Whittlesey left on Tuesday for Ashland to attend the state convention of Elks in that city.

Arthur Pepin, who is employed in a drug store at Marshfield, came down Saturday and visited with his mother until Monday afternoon.

Miss Aurelia Bandelin returned home on Monday from a month's visit in Madison, Milwaukee, and other points of the state.

Andrew King was in Sherry the past week where he installed an assembly of twenty members of the National Fraternal League.

This is "the good old summer time," and if "she holds your hand and you hold her's" the probablity is that both hands will be moist and sticky.

George Compton, who has been at Ashton, Iowa, for some time past, visited friends and relatives in the city several days the past week.

John Conway of Orient, S. D., arrived in the city last week and has been visiting his mother and other relatives in the city for several days.

Henry Letendre, one of the pioneer settlers of Wood county who lives in the town of Port Edwards was a pleasant caller at this office on Thursday.

Mrs. C. H. Brown is spending two months in the east expecting to visit at Boston, Portland Me., New York and other places familiar to her early life.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank A. Cady spent several days in Milwaukee the past week. Emil Cady is at Kilbourn, visiting his grandfather for a few weeks.

Peter McCamley returned on Saturday from Mt. Clemens, where he had been taking treatment for rheumatism. He reports himself greatly improved.

Miss Mabel Hamilton has returned from Sheboygan where she has been teaching in the city schools the past year. Miss Hamilton will teach here the coming term.

—Go to W. A. Dawes for your new shoes and repairing, and have the Eureka sole protector inserted in the soles they will wear as long again. No extra charge.

George Booth of Marshfield was in the city the latter part of last week engaged in shipping out some lumber from the yards of the Grand Rapids lumber company.

Mr. and Mrs. V. N. Landry have taken charge of the boarding house on the west side formerly run by Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Stevens and will conduct the same.

Ed. Persohn, Aug. C. Scott, Ernest Turbin, Burt Brown, Clarence Baldwin and Will Young were initiated into the mysteries of the Eagles on Thursday evening.

E. W. Lawler of Shiocton has purchased the store and saloon property of Frank Nowaratzky near the Green Bay & Western depot and will conduct the place hereafter.

Blue berries are ripe in this section and they have been coming in quite plentifully during the past week. The quality is first class and quite a number are being shipped.

Maltais & Demers have purchased a building on the Menier property west of the Central depot and fixed it up for a saloon. The place has been christened the Pink Front.

A dispatch from Babcock says that the town hall at Lindsey was struck by lightning on Friday and badly damaged. The building was occupied by a family but nobody was hurt.

Conductor H. L. Bartholomew was taken quite sick on Saturday while on his run between this city and Sheboygan. He returned home the same day, and has since recovered sufficiently to be about.

An Appleton woman has lost all her hair, is totally deaf, and has been rendered nearly insane by the use of a preparation she bought from a traveling woman peddler to restore gray hair to its natural color.

County Judge W. J. Conway went to Marshfield on Saturday, being called there to conduct the examination of Mrs. L. Hartl for insanity. The woman was found to be quite bad and was sent to the asylum at Oshkosh.

Jeffrey Trudell moved into a new house on Factory street last week which he recently had completed. The building contains eight rooms and is a very neat residence. Nickolas White did the carpenter work on the place.

$26.75 to Baltimore, Md. and return via C. M. & St. P. Ry. for the Annual Meeting Grand Lodge Benevolent Protective Order of Elks. Dates of sale July 17th and 18th. For routes extension of tickets etc. please call on ticket agent.

The Roddis Veneer company of Marshfield has purchased the saw mill at Arpin from the John Arpin Lumber company, and the structure is being removed to Park Falls to cut the timber recently acquired by the Roddis company.

John Hinka, a twelve year old boy of Stevens Point, died of lockjaw on Sunday as the result of an accident received on the Fourth. He was injured on the hand by the discharge of a firecracker and nothing much was thought of the matter at the time.

Invitations are out announcing the marriage of Hans M. Carlson to Miss Emma Derrick, the event to occur on the 23d instant at the Catholic parsonage in this city. Miss Derrick is the daughter of Matt Derrick and Mr. Carlson is employed at the St. Paul depot as baggageman.

During the month of June the members of the Wisconsin Valley Lumbermen's association who reported to the secretary, shipped out a larger amount of lumber than during any previous month in the history of the association, with one exception, July, 1901.—Mississippi Valley Lumbermen

While at Marshfield Sunday we happened to run onto our old friend Stovey Norton. Stovey is looking prosperous and at present has a position with the Marshfield Brewery looking after the empties. He says he will be in Grand Rapids again this fall to look after the stove business.

Here is an obituary printed in a Kansas paper: "She reared nine children. She darned 10,000 socks. She cooked 100,000 meals. She washed 1,000,000 dishes. She died and went to heaven." There shouln't be any doubt about the last part of her experience and no doubt the change was welcome.

E. W. Ring, who has been in Portland, Oregon, and other places in the west for some weeks past, returned here on Thursday. Mr. Ring expects to leave about the 20th for the west with the intention of making his home there permanently. He has invested largely in real estate and timber lands in Oregon.

F. J. Boston of Stevens Point was in the city on Friday doing some advertising for the Stevens Point Street fair which occurs from the 20th to the 25th of July. Mr. Boston states that they are preparing for a grand time on the days mentioned and as the railroads will give a rate of a fare and a third to the pleasure seekers, there is no doubt but they will have a large crowd.

C. D. Kipp, of Black River Falls, who is well known in this city, has been promoted to the position of district manager in the Prudential insurance company, and will soon remove to Springfield, Ill., to take charge of his work. Mr. Kipp was started in just about a year ago by W. H. Carey of this city as an agent for the company and the fact that he has so rapidly advanced in the business is evidence of his exceptional ability. His teritory will consist of central Illinois.

BRIEF CITY ITEMS

A Physical Wreck.—Louis Vanderlois, a brick mason working for the Consolidated people, was brought before Justice Brown on Saturday to answer to a charge of drunkenness. Vanderlois is a good workman and had been all right until about the Fourth of July, when he got on a spree and has been going since. When brought into court he was in a miserable condition, apparently on the verge of delirium tremens, and Mr. Brown called a physician to prescribe for him before going on with the trial. Several times Vanderlois walked up to the Judge's table and laying down a nickle, called for a glass of whiskey. He was given five days in jail in which to sober up.

Attempted Burglary.—On Wednesday night of last week when D. M. Huntington entered his store about 10:30 o'clock, he heard some person or persons making their escape from the back. He could not see who it was and when he came to look about there was nothing missing, so it was evident that they had been in the store but a short time. Mr. Huntington says that from the method of entry and exit it was evident that the parties were familiar with the place, and he warns future visitors who call after hours to look out for a load of fine shot at close range.

A Versatile Offender. — Frank Navidowski was brought before Justice Cooper on Monday and pleaded guilty to the charge of assault and battery, paying a fine and costs amounting to $7 34. The complaining witness was Frank Skolaski. The Saturday previous Navidowski was arrested on a charge of bastardy, the complaining witness being Agnes Priess. This case was adjourned until Oct, 15th, with bonds fixed at $500.

For Flood Sufferers.—The Lady Maccabees held a social at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Thompson on Friday afternoon and evening and cleaned up a very respectable sum in behalf of the object in view. The rain spoiled it so that the entertainment had to be held inside, but there was a fairly good crowd in attendance.

Minor Accidents.—E. K. Griffith had the great toe of his right foot crushed on Monday while at work for the Consolidated people, with the result that he will be incapacitated for a time. Leonard Slusser dropped a heavy piece of jagged rock on his foot the same day and severed an artery in the member.

An Independent District.—Marshfield at the last annual school meeting held in that city on July 6th, decided to make that city an independent superintendency district. J. B. Border, who has been principal of schools there for a number of years, was elected city superintendent.

Won at Plainfield.—The local baseball team went to Plainfield on Sunday and won a game there by a score of 4 to 5. The boys report that they were behind until near the end of the game when they braced up and run in four scores, winning the game.

A Fine Band.—The Journal Newsboy band arrived in the city this morning and if the music they have furnished on the streets is any criterion of what they will do at their concert, it will be well worth attending.

Excursion to Ashland.—The Wisconsin Central company will run an excursion to Ashland next Sunday, $3.00 for the round trip. The train will leave here at 5:05 Saturday night.

—Horlicks malted milk drinks at Church's fountain. Try them.

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ADVERTISEMENTS will be published in this column at the rate of 5 cents per line; no ad taken for less than 10 cents. If you want to buy, sell or trade anything, try the want column.

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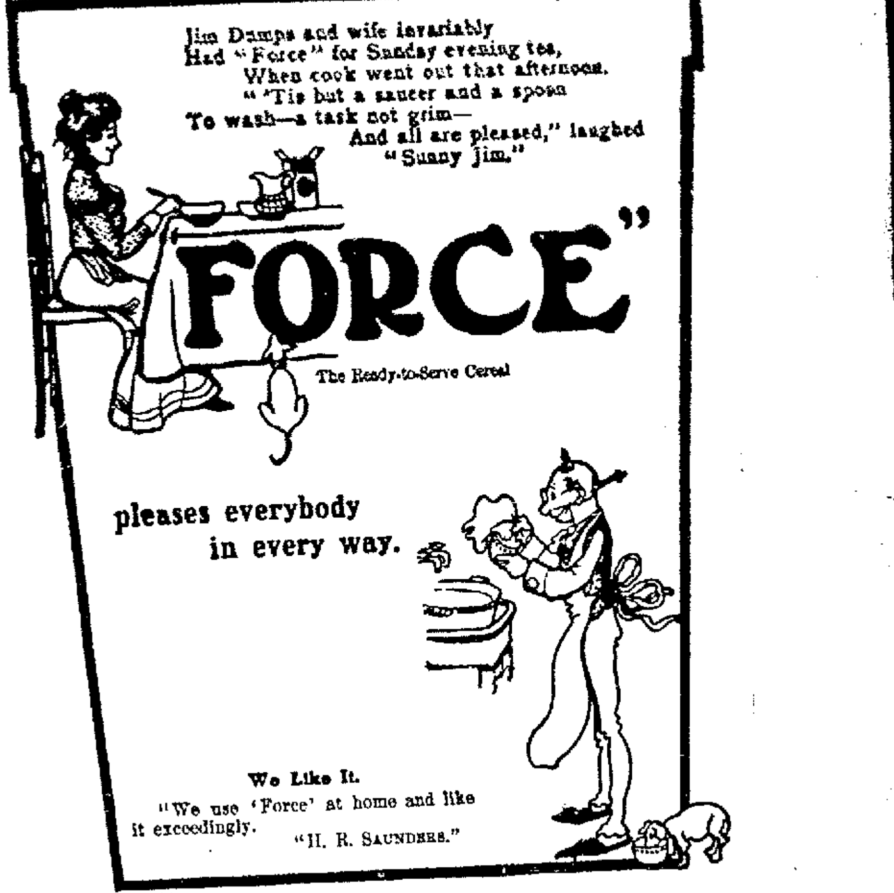
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"Don't wait for extraordinary opportunities; seize common occasions and make them great.

"A great opportunity will only make you ridiculous unless you are prepared for it.

"Don't brood over the past nor dream of the future; but seize the instant, and get your lesson from the hour.

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(7-1-4t)

Notice of Application.

Wood County Court—In Probate.

STATE OF WISCONSIN, } ss.
WOOD COUNTY. }

In the matter of the last Will and Testament of Wencle Fait, deceased.

Whereas, An instrument, in writing, purporting to be the last will and testament of Wencle Fait, deceased, late of Milladore, Wisconsin, has been filed in this office;

And, Whereas, Application has been made by James Haasl praying that the same be proven and admitted to probate, according to the laws of this state, and that letters testamentary be granted thereon according to law;

It is Ordered, That said application be heard before me, at the probate office, in the court house in the city of Grand Rapids, Wis., on the 1st day of September, A. D. 1903, at 10 o'clock A. M.

And it is further Ordered, That notice of the time and place appointed for hearing said application be given to all persons interested, by publishing a copy of this order for three weeks successively, in the Grand Rapids Tribune, a newspaper printed in said county, previous to said hearing.

Dated, June 30th, A. D. 1903.
By the Court W. J. CONWAY, County Judge.

6-10-4w

Notice for Hearing.

State of Wisconsin—County Court for Wood County.

In the matter of the adoption of Charlie Nichols by William J. Aucutt and Nellie Aucutt, his wife.

Notice is hereby given that at the special term of the County Court to be held in and for said county at the court house in the city of Grand Rapids, in said county, on Tuesday, the 8th day of September, A. D. 1903, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of said day, the following matter will be heard and considered:

The petition of William J. Aucutt and Nellie Aucutt, his wife, of Grand Rapids, in the county of Wood, in the state of Wisconsin, for leave to adopt Charlie Nichols, a minor child not their own by birth, the child by birth of Ida Nichols.

Dated this 9th day of June, A. D. 1903.
By the Court, W. J. CONWAY, County Judge.

Summons.

Wood County—City of Grand Rapids. In Justice Court.

To Charles Rothiveler:

You are hereby notified that a Summons and Garnishee has been issued against you and your property garnisheed to satisfy the demand of Nate Anderson, amounting to $21.10. Now, unless you shall appear before Burton L. Brown, a Justice of the peace in and for said county, at his office in the city of Grand Rapids, on the 6th day of July, A. D. 1903, at 9 o'clock a. m. judgment will be rendered against you and your property sold to pay the debt.

Dated this 16th day of June, A. D. 1903.
NATE ANDERSON.

6-17-7w

Summons.

Circuit Court—Wood County.

Peter Held, Plaintiff,
vs.
Margaret Oppmann, Frank Oppmann, Matthias Oppmann, Antone Oppmann, Nicholas Oppmann and Hinda Oppmann, Defendants. } Summons.

The State of Wisconsin—To the said defendants:

You are hereby summoned to appear within twenty days after service of this summons, exclusive of the day of service, and defend the above entitled action in the court aforesaid; and in case of your failure so to do, judgment will be rendered against you according to the demand of the complaint.

CONWAY & JEFFREY, Plaintiff's Attorneys.
P. O. Address, Grand Rapids, Wood Co., Wis

6-24-4w.

Notice of Application.

Wood County Court—In Probate.

STATE OF WISCONSIN } ss
WOOD COUNTY }

In the matter of the last Will and Testament of Phebe Abbey, deceased.

Whereas, An instrument, in writing, purporting to be the last will and testament of Phebe Abbey, deceased, late of the town of Sherry, said county, has been filed in this office;

And Whereas, Application has been made by Adam Shidell, praying that the same be proven and admitted to probate, according to the laws of this state, and that letters testamentary be granted thereon according to law;

It is Ordered, That said application be heard before me at the probate office, in the City of Grand Rapids, on the 1st day of September, A. D. 1903, at nine o'clock, A. M.

And it is Further Ordered, That notice of the time and place appointed for hearing said application be given to all persons interested, by publishing a copy of this order for three weeks successively, in the Grand Rapids Tribune a newspaper printed in said county, previous to said hearing.

Dated, June 23rd, 1903.
By the Court, W. J. CONWAY County Judge.

5-27-5t

Claims of Creditors.

Wood County Court—In Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Joseph Pongratz, deceased.

Letters of administration on the estate of said Joseph Pongratz, deceased, having been granted and issued to Monika Pongratz on the 26th day of May, 1903, it is now at this special term of this court,

Ordered, That all creditors of said Joseph Pongrats, deceased, do present their claims for examination and allowance to this Court on or before the 30th day of November, 1903, which time is hereby allowed and limited for that purpose.

Ordered Further, That the claims and demands of all persons against said deceased be presented to, received, examined and adjusted by this court at the regular December term thereof to be held at the probate office in the city of Grand Rapids, in said county, on the first Tuesday, being the first day of December, 1903.

And it is Further Ordered, That notice of the time and place at which said claims and demands will be received, examined and adjusted as aforesaid, and of the time limited for creditors to present their claims, be given by publishing a copy of this order and notice for four successive weeks in the Grand Rapids Tribune, a weekly newspaper published at the city of Grand Rapids, in said county, the first publication to be within fifteen days from the date of the order.

Dated May 26th, 1903.
By the Court. W. J. CONWAY, County Judge.

5-20-5t

Claims of Creditors.

Wood County Court—In Probate.

In the matter of the Estate of Ann Jeffrey, deceased.

Letters testamentary on the estate of said Ann Jeffrey, deceased, having been granted and issued to John J. Jeffrey and Daniel Keenan on the 12th day of May, 1903, it is now at this special term of this court, ordered, that all creditors of said Ann Jeffrey, deceased, do present their claims for examination and allowance to this Court on or before the 30th day of November, 1903, which time is hereby allowed and limited for that purpose.

Ordered further, that the claims and demands of all persons against said deceased be presented to, received, examined and adjusted by this court at the regular December term thereof to be held at the probate office in the city of Grand Rapids, in said county, on the first Tuesday, being the 1st day of December, 1903.

And it is further ordered, that notice of the time and place at which said claims and demands will be received, examined and adjusted as aforesaid, and of the time limited for creditors to present their claims, be given by publishing a copy of this order and notice for four successive weeks in the Grand Rapids Tribune, a weekly newspaper published at the city of Grand Rapids, in said county, the first publication to be within fifteen days from the date of order.

Dated, Grand Rapids, Wis., May 12th, 1903.
By the Court, W. J. CONWAY, County Judge.

TIMING EXPOSURES.

A Work in Which Photographers Become Remarkably Accurate.

The photographer was about to take a picture of a young woman. "It's so dark here," he said, "that I guess I'll give you about thirty seconds," and, drawing out the slide and removing the cap, he began to count in a measured and mechanical tone, "one, two, three, four, five," and so on. When the exposure was finished the sitter said: "You gave more than thirty seconds to that plate. You counted very slow—I'm sure it took you a full minute to count thirty."

The photographer handed his watch to the young woman. He said: "I'll count thirty again. Time me." And he made the count exactly as before and he was just twenty-nine seconds making it. "One second off—not so bad. Near my old record, in fact," said the photographer. "Ten years ago, when I made more pictures than I do today, I could by counting make exposures up to five minutes without being more than a second off. Usually I'd be a second under; but, over or under, it was only by one second that I'd be out of the way. But," he added, "this gift is not remarkable. Nearly every photographer has it. Nearly every one of us can guess spaces of time running from a half a second to five or six minutes with what is for all practical purposes perfect accuracy."—Philadelphia Record.

Nature the Only Healer.

Medicine never did any person a particle of good except by digestion, assimilation—going into circulation, etc. No salve contains any healing property except as a protection to keep away the effect of oxygen in the air, dirt or any foreign substance from coming in contact with the part affected. The natural powers of our being possess the only power to heal. Anything that may be done to assist in a natural way is good—contrary, bad. Give good food to make good blood. Breathe good air, rest and not overexercise to the extent of fatigue. Then the body will recuperate. Then the wound will be healed by healthy serum that is secreted to heal all wounds, not the salve. The salve protects from outside influence, while the machinery within goes on with its work. Nature does it all.—Medical Talk.

One Way to Keep Accounts.

In a book of accounts found on the premises of a bankrupt dealer in a city in the west of England were the following names of customers to whom credit had been given and which would have puzzled all the official receivers in the kingdom: Woman on the key, Jew woman, coal woman, old coal woman, fat coal woman, market woman, pale woman, a man, old woman, littel milk girl, candle man, stableman, coachman, big woman, lame woman, quiet woman, egg man, littel black girl, Jew man, Mrs. in a cart, old Irish woman, woman in Corn street, a lad, man in the country, long Sal, Mrs. Irish woman, Mrs. feather bonnett, blue bonnett, green bonnett, green coat, blue britches, big britches, the woman that was married and the woman that told me of the man.—London Tit-Bits.

In an Old Time House.

To go down into the low ceiled kitchen, with its heavy, rough hewn timbers and its great fireplace with the logs fast turning to coals; to look into the old brick oven, where bread for a regiment could easily have been baked, and, perchance, to be asked to sit down on the old wooden settee under the little window where the pot of flowers stands and drink tea from a quaint blue cup will complete the charm the place has thrown about you. Many fantasies will throng the mind, and the shadows cast upon the walls by the wavering light make this house their home—one booted and spurred and with a military step, the other a rustle of silk and a whiff of rare perfume.—Four Track News.

Shipping Cinnamon.

Cinnamon is so extraordinarily sensitive that great care has to be taken with regard to its surroundings on board ship, as a bale of very fine cinnamon will lose much of its delicate aroma if packed among bales of coarser bark. Various expedients have been tried to remedy this. The Portuguese and Dutch isolated the bales by packing them in cocoanut fiber or in cattle hides, but it is found that the only real safeguard is to pack bags of pepper between the bales.—"Two Happy Years In Ceylon."

Just the Reverse.

"Th' boss don't allus keep his word," remarked the office boy.

"What's he been doin' now?" inquired the stenographer.

"He told me when he went out this mornin' that he'd call me up on the telephone. 'Stead of that he called me down for not answerin' it when he come back from lunch."—Cincinnati Commercial Tribune.

Her Ultimatum.

Railway Surveyor—We are going to run a railway line right through your barn.

Farmer's Wife—All right; I don't mind. But you remember that I will have no trains after 9 o'clock at night. I have no intention of getting up after that to open the door for the trains to go through.

All Arranged.

Manager—When you come to that line wait for the applause.

Actor—How do you know there will be applause?

Manager—That is my business, not yours.

An obstinate man does not hold opinions; they hold him.—Butler.

WEST WANTS HELP.

NOT MONEY BUT HARVEST HANDS FOR FRUIT.

Volunteer Missionaries Now in the East to Secure Emigrants Chinese Labor Thinning Out and Room for Good People.

The following from the Chicago Packer concerning labor conditions in California will interest cranberry men who have "been there" themselves at certain stages of the season:

Chicago, May 23.—W. H. Murry, representing the California Promotion bureau, is in the city to secure laborers to help harvest the coming fruit crop.

"California has about 50,000 Chinamen," said Mr. Murry to The Packer man. "30,000 of them located in San Francisco. The fruit growers have had to depend on this class of help to pick fruit and gather the harvest as well as in the dryers.

"The labor situation has now become a most serious one. Last year the growers lost money because of inability to secure pickers. The grower would secure a gang from the city, they would come out to his ranch and scatter over the place camping out as is the custom under the trees, simply rolled up in their blankets. In a day or two some of the gang would hear of better wages being paid in another section and off they would go.

"Altho the wages paid are much higher in proportion than for the same class of labor in the East, our growers have been unable to get these people even thru one-half the season. The result has been, many large ranchers have abandoned fruit growing just because of the total unreliability of labor.

Chinese Thinning Out.

"The Chinese are thinning out and are becoming aged and this fact combined with the results of the Exclusion act, debarring others from landing, makes the shortage of from 20 to 25 p. c. in labor. We do not need skilled mechanics or men to fill the places of experienced help, but what we do need is farm labor.

"The committee men sent out from California are now in all the leading cities looking for emigrants, not one of us receiving a salary as our work is entirely a missionary proposition. Unless we can get the necessary labor to gather our fruit crops, we are up against a pretty serious proposition.

A Criticism Answered.

"Much criticism has been published in regard to the way farm labor has been treated in California. A great deal of this has come from our critics not realizing the conditions among the fruit ranches. Anyone who stops to think for a moment could hardly expect a rancher to take these people to his house, let them eat at his table; in brief treat them as farm labor is treated in the East.

"Naturally the larger percentage being of this class the fruit growers have made no provision for the few white men who have gone out as laborers. This trouble will be remedied as fast as we change from Chinese labor to reliable white labor.

"The Californian is as liberal as any one else in his treatment of men and the man who goes there prepared to make good and show what he is worth, will be treated properly. The custom of hiring men by the day without making or providing them any place to sleep and compelling them as to "find" themselves, is rapidly passing away. No one will rejoice more than the California fruit grower when all help will be employed by the month or season and proper provisions made for sleeping and board.

Figures that Bewilder.

"When one realizes that we have to harvest in dried fruits: 14,000,000 lbs. of apricots, 25,000,000 lbs. of peaches, 16,000,000 lbs. prunes, besides 23,000 cars of oranges and lemons; 7,000 cars of green fruit, 75,000,000 lbs. of beans, 55,000 bales hops. 7,000,000 lbs. figs, 100,000,000 lbs. raisins, he can understand that we have to have labor and plenty of it,

"Our dried fruit season is very short and calls for quick work or there will be large losses. This is where the intelligent farm laborers of the East cannot only make himself valuable but can readily earn fancy wages.

"The Chinese have been to us what the negroes were to the south. They were the house help and orchard help. But it is no longer the case of 'the Chinese must go,' for they have practically gone.

Plenty of Work.

"From one end of the state to the other there is a demand for competent white labor—men who are ambitious to acquire a home of their own. We are going away from the old system of large ranches to small farms of from 20 to 100 acres. Fruit curing is done chiefly during July to Nov. 5; the fruit packing season runs from May 25 to Nov. 1. Indeed, there is a call for capable help thruout the year. The great rush, however, is from May 1 to August 1.

No Snap Scheme.

"Our bureau as stated before, is composed of volunteer workers and not hired lecturers, seeking to bring in emigrants and turning them loose in a wild uncultivated country to make a living as best they can, but it secures work for new comers for 3 to 5 months. Many get permanent employment at once. What we are after, however, is ambitious workers, men who will come out to California and eventually become employers themselves. Secy. B. N. Rowley, No 25 New Montgomery St., San Francisco, will furnish pamphlets and full information upon request.

"We have plenty of work for not only men but women and children during the rush. It will pay any one who wants to go out and see California to go there, since at the end of 3 to 5 months he can have enough cash in hand with which to return home. A reference to The Packer will secure any inquirer all the pamhplets of the bureau giving full data on every point."

Bronchitis for Twenty Years.

Mrs. Minerva Smith of Danville, Ill., writes: "I had bronchitis for twenty years and never got relief until I used Foley's Honey and Tar which is a sure cure. Sold by Johnson & Hill Co.

A Costly Adventure

[Original.]

When the Union Pacific railroad was finished to Laramie a line of coaches took its passengers southward to Denver. One evening the coach waited the arrival of the train; but, the station agent receiving a telegram that the latter was several hours behind time, the former was sent out with but two passengers, a rancher and his daughter. The girl had been east at school, and her father was taking her home. During the twilight the two enjoyed the scenery from the coach window, but when darkness came leaned back on the cushion and each fell into a doze.

Suddenly they were aroused by the crack of a rifle, the breaks were put on and the coach came to a stop. Then, after a few words spoken roughly to the driver, the coach door was thrown open and a masked man thrust in his head. In the darkness nothing but his form could be distinguished.

A masked man took the valuables of both, then said to the girl, "Have you nothing else for me?"

There was no answer. The girl was too frightened to answer.

"Well, then," continued the man, "I'll take your own sweet self."

At this the father went wild, begging and pleading for his child.

"Calm yourself, my dear sir," said the agent. "Your daughter shall come to no harm."

"What do you want with her?"

"Nothing except what she will herself wish. Come! I can't be fooling here." And, taking the girl by the hand, he led her out of the coach. There was something in the man's voice that won her confidence, and her fear left her. He seemed strangely polite and tender hearted for a road agent. As soon as she had alighted he lifted her on to a horse furnished with a woman's saddle and, mounting himself, seized a leading strap and galloped away with her.

Meanwhile the Union Pacific train reached Laramie, and the passengers for Denver were provided with an extra coach. There were half a dozen passengers, including a Denver banker and his niece. Most of them were Denver people, acquainted with one another, and they were having a merry time before settling to sleep, when there was a hold up and they were ordered to alight, line up and deliver. One man did the work, though there were others in the background who did not show themselves. When the valuables had been collected the passengers were permitted to return to the coach. One, the niece of the Denver banker, Miss Frances Delaney, lagged behind and whispered to the road agent:

"What am I to do?"

"Do? Get into the coach."

"But I want to go with you."

"Oh, you do. Well, I reckon you or any other likely gal can do that. Come along."

When the coach started on the girl was missed by her uncle, the coach was stopped, a search was made, her name was shouted, but there was no Miss Delaney.

An hour later two mounted men, approaching one another on the Denver and Laramie road, each hearing the other's horse's hoofbeats, drew rein. Presently one called to the other:

"Who are you?"

"I'm Walter Blake of Denver. Who are you?"

There was some delay in the reply which came evidently of the consultation:

"I got a gal here who says she's made a mistake. She knows you. You were to have pretended to rob the Denver coach and carry her off to get her away from her guardian uncle. She thought I was you and wanted to come along. I ain't got no use for her."

"You don't say so! Thank heaven! Lucky meet! I robbed the wrong coach and took a rancher's daughter."

"Well, I tell you what you do. Turn over the proceeds, and I'll turn over your gal."

"I'm no robber."

"I am."

"Oh, I see!"

"Come down with the dust."

Blake thought the matter over. If it were not for the two girls, one of whom he had kidnaped and the other had kidnaped herself, he might have either turned and run or fought. As it was, there was nothing to do but surrender not only the rancher's and his daughter's valuables, but every dollar he had with him, and this, since he had provided himself for a bridal trip, was considerable. Everything was given up, and Frances Delaney was permitted to ride forward.

"Stupid!" was her first word.

"You wrote you would be in the coach tonight. I didn't know there were two coaches."

There was little else spoken between the lovers till they and the rancher's daughter reached Denver, where Blake turned the latter, with many shamefaced apologies, over to her father and asked for an account of the property he had taken from the banker. When the account was paid and the amateur road agent figured up the amount the effort had cost him it seemed a pretty high price to pay for a wife whom he hadn't succeeded in kidnaping. Miss Delaney was so mortified and incensed over the matter that she turned a cold shoulder to her lover, whom her uncle now said it would be necessary for her to marry to save her good name. She remained resolute in her refusal to do so for a year; then, as Blake determined to take up his residence in San Francisco, she relented, glad to get away from the ridicule she found it impossible to live down in Denver.

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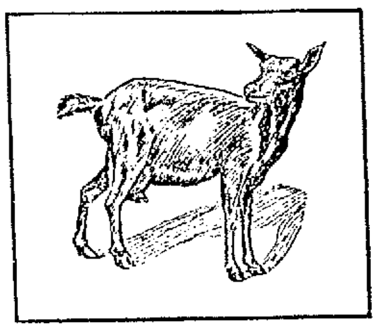

MALTESE MILK GOAT.

When not confined the Spanish-Maltese goat in its eating habits is much like the deer, its diet being principally choice buds, twigs, leaves and undergrowth. Its meat, therefore, bears a close resemblance both in taste and color to deer flesh or venison. The grain is dark and closer than either mutton or Angora goat meat. No meat is sweeter, healthier, more tender or palatable. It is more delicious in flavor than deer venison.

At present prices the long haired Maltese skins are worth from 75 cents to $1 per pound for trimmings, rugs, imitation bear skins and other purposes, while the short haired are worth from 25 to 40 cents per pound to tanners, who use them for making the celebrated "vici kid," a quality and class of leather rivaling the French kind both in beauty and durability, which, of course, greatly enhances the value of these skins.

Farm, Field and Fireside quotes a west Texas correspondent to the foregoing effect.

Government Soil Surveying.

The United States bureau of soils maintained fifteen soil parties in the field during last year, the areas covered being as follows:

Perry county, Ala.; Yuma area, Arizona; Stuttgart area, Arkansas; Imperial area, California; Los Angeles area, California; Arkansas valley area, Colorado; Gadsden county, Fla.; Lewiston area, Idaho; Clay county, Ill.; Clinton county, Ill.; St. Clair county, Ill.; Tazewell county, Ill.; Posey county, Ind.; Dubuque area, Iowa; Wichita area, Kansas; Union county, Ky.; Smedes area, Mississippi; Howell county, Mo.; Billings area, Montana; Trenton area, N. J.; Bigflats area, New York; Lyons area, New York; Hickory area, North Carolina; Parmele area, North Carolina; Mount Mitchell area, North Carolina; Grand Forks area, North Dakota; Columbus area, Ohio; Toledo area, Ohio; Arecibo to Ponce, Porto Rico; Abbeville area, South Carolina; Darlington county, S. C.; Brazoria area, Texas; Vernon area, Texas; Albemarle area, Virginia; Wallawalla area, Washington; Janesville area, Wisconsin. During the current year the number of soil survey parties has been increased to twenty, which it is expected will make surveys of about fifty areas in thirty-two states and territories.

What There Is In Cultivation.

We must keep in mind the fact that when corn is a foot high the roots fill the soil between the rows, and to cut them off checks the growth. Cultivation after that time should always be shallow. Have the soil loose so that rains will run in instead of off and break up the crust as soon as it is dry enough to work, as this will check wasteful evaporation from the surface. A farmer with whom I was acquainted incurred the wrath of his hired man by having run the cultivator again and again through the corn during a severe drought, while the neighbors were resting on their oars waiting for rain to come. "What, run that thing through the corn again? You might as well run it in the big road." "Well, I guess we'll work the corn a leetle more, but"— He had the only crop of corn in that section of country. When in doubt whether you have cultivated the corn enough it will always pay to work it a "leetle more."—Cor. Ohio Farmer.

What Forestry Is.

Forestry is the preservation of forests by wise use. It does not mean the abbreviation of that use. It means making the forest useful not only to the settler, the rancher, the miner, the man who lives in the immediate neighborhood, but indirectly to the man who lives hundreds of miles off.—President Roosevelt.

How Many Plants In a Hill.

One strong watermelon plant in a hill is better than two or more. Leave two cantaloupe plants in each hill. Thin out surplus soon after the leaves become rough.

Some Simple Plans to Rid Oneself of Sleeplessness.

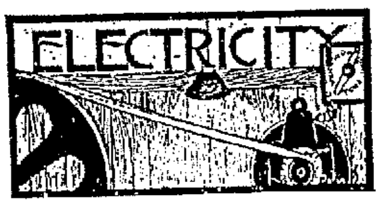
Cultivate regular hours of sleep, says a writer in the Philadelphia Press. Go to bed at the same time each night and let that time be fairly early. Divest the mind as far as possible of care so as to fall asleep at once. The habit of rising at the instant of awakening in the morning should be cultivated also.

The bedclothes should be warm and light and the temperature of the room about 58 degrees. Either a very cold room or a very hot one is very disturbing to sleep, although thorough ventilation is of great importance, as a close atmosphere will awaken one, and if he is troubled with insomnia he will find it almost impossible to return to the condition of sleep. The window should be opened from the top, taking care by means of curtains and other devices to protect the body from drafts.

All plants should be removed from a sleeping room, for not only will their own vitality be destroyed, but also the air of their owner to a certain limited extent. Those who live in the city have the irritating noises of the city streets to contend with. Place cotton in your ears if they annoy or try to sleep as far from the street as possible. Light should be excluded by means of dark shades which can be lowered, tied to a chair and removed a short space from the windows, thus allowing of ventilation. The bed should be yielding without being too soft, the pillows moderately firm and either high or low, according to the taste of the sleeper.

A certain amount of bodily fatigue induced by healthy exercise, especially in brain workers, is very important.

In regard to the meal taken at night, the following should be observed: If a heavy meal, it should be partaken of three or four hours before going to bed. If food is taken at a later hour, it should be such as is easily digested. Sometimes an empty stomach will cause insomnia, and frequently a glass of hot milk taken just before bedtime will cause sleep.



An invention that has caused much favorable comment from officers of the life saving service has been submitted to them by Professor William Libbey of Princeton university. It consists of an automatic system of receiving and transmitting signals by means of wireless telegraph apparatus and is intended to warn vessels of their approach toward shoals or a rocky coast.

The device consists of an apparatus to be established at all dangerous points on the coast line, from which soundings will be sent out automatically. It is so arranged that these warnings will go out over three distinct zones—one with a radius of ten miles, another with a radius of five miles and a third with a radius of two miles.

Vessels are supposed to be equipped with the receiving apparatus. Such a vessel coming within the ten mile zone of the danger spot will receive a warning in the shape of a stroke on the bell in the pilot house. The five mile zone, which covers the edge of the breakers, will be covered in the same manner, and when the vessel enters the two mile zone this will be announced in the same way also.

The apparatus will be regulated so that warning signals will be given twice at the commencement of each minute within the five mile zone and three times at the commencement of each minute in the two mile zone.

The officers of the life saving service say that if this invention works out in practice as it is explained on paper it will prove of great value in warning ships of the approach to shoals and rock bound coasts at times when fog signals and lightships and lighthouses are useless.

To Show When Life Begins.

An electrical test at first proposed as a means of determining whether life is extinct has been used to show when life begins. No reaction is produced if the matter is lifeless. Applying this method to hens' eggs, Augustus Waller has found that signs of life begin in twenty-four to sixty-two hours after the beginning of incubation, and that only when development fails or is arrested does the reaction continue to be absent.

Weaving Silk by Electricity.

In the plain of Lombardy, near a village called Merate, works have been established by Messrs. Gavazzi for the spinning and weaving of silk. Some five hundred workpeople, principally women and girls, are employed, and no fewer than 336 weaving machines assist in creating the deafening noise to which the visitor is subjected. Each of these weaving machines is furnished with a small electric motor having a simple starting and stopping gear placed within easy reach of the person in charge of the machine. To the women operating these machines there is much less danger than where a lot of driving belts are in use. To the proprietor of the mill there is the advantage that all possible risk of oil being dropped from any overhead shafting on to the valuable material on the machines is avoided.

Electric Death.

A. Spindler of Strassburg, Germany, has invented an electrical cannon which, instead of hurling a great steel projectile at a foe, will charge upon him a bolt of electricity of such great power as to cause death to any number of men, and which will make a modern war ship only a death cage for its occupants, to be destroyed at will.

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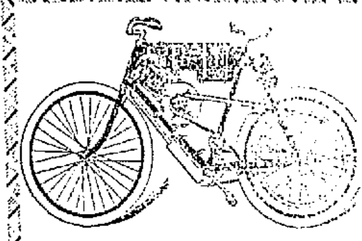

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ALTDORF.

Mrs. John Ritz died on Friday last after an illness more or less severe of several years, the cause of death being a cancerous growth. She was buried on Sunday at Seneca Corners. She being a member of the Seventh Day Adventists, there was no minister here to conduct the services, but one arrived from Green Bay on Monday and held services. Mrs. Ritz leaves a husband and one son to mourn her loss, the latter being at Battle Creek, Mich., and unable to attend his mother's funeral.

Anton Bauman of New York arrived in the city last week for a few weeks visit with his brother, Heury, at Altdorf. The two had not met for 30 years, at which time Anton left the fatherland.

Many of the farmers are getting their hay in quite rapidly since the warm weather set in.

A baby boy arrived to gladden the home of Mr. and Mrs. Emil Nocht on Tuescay, July 14.

Mrs. Frank Wipfli was a visitor in Grand Rapids on Tuesday.

—Girls Wanted—Inquire at the Witter House.

Brutally Tortured.

A case came to light that for persistent and unmerciful torture has perhaps never been equailed. Joe Golobick of Colusa, Calif, writes, "For 15 years I endured insufferable pain from Rheumatism and nothing relieved me though I tried everything known. I came across Electric Bitters and it's the greatest medicine on earth for that trouble. A few bottles of it completely relieved and cured me." Just as good for Liver and Kidney troubles and general debility. Only 50c. Satisfaction guaranteed by John E. Daly, druggist.

MARSHFIELD.

[From the News.]

Local sports are making an effort to arrange another wrestling match between Fred Beell of this city and Ed. Adamson, now of St. Louis. The latter recently married a rich widow and is instructor in one of the leading gymnasiums. It is doubtful that he could be tempted into signing articles for a contest with his old opponent, even at the stake proposed by Marshfield sports, $500. No other two men could be matched who would draw from all parts of central Wisconsin equal to Beell and Adamson. The abilities of the two men are so evenly balanced that it is usually a toss-up which will win, and the sport under such conditions cannot be excelled. Of the five wrestling contests Beell won three and Adamson two. Fred has improved greatly in the last year or two and his chances would be better than even if the match now talked of is arranged.

Leading officials of the Green Bay and C. & N. W. Ry. companies met on the scene of last week's collision near Grand Rapids and called upon all the eye-witnesses to give their version of the affair. Two men walking side by side on the track each saw the collison in a different light and told conflicting stories. Several nearby farmers testified that no trains had stopped at that crossing for more than a year. The parties responsible for the accident have not yet been announced by the examining board.

Mienrad Marti, a farmer living two miles southeast of the village of Auburndale, will have cause to remember the recent fourth of July with great sorrow. On the morning of that day while enroute to the village, his buggy tipped over in turning about and all of the occupants were more of less bruised. Chris., two years of age, received fatal injuries and died the following day. The funeral was held on Monday from the house, Rev. E. A. McKinney, of this city, officiating.

The city council passed the band appropriation of $500 at its meeting Tuesday evening by a unanimous vote.

—During the winter of 1901, R. O. Bell, Pontiac, Ills., contracted a severe cold which left him with a very annoying cough. In speaking of how he cured it he says, "I had been suffering from the effects of la grippe followed by a severe cough for several weeks last winter, and had tried nearly every remedy known to myself or friends, but found no relief up to the time I began using Harts' Honey and Horehound. I received benefit even from the first bottle of this medicine, and three 25c bottles effectually cured me. There are no deleterious effects following its use and I consider Harts' Honey and Horehound the best throat and lung remedy in the world." Sold by Sam Church.

BABCOCK.

Mrs. A. B. Cotey of Pittsville and Mrs. Jos. Kraus of Butte. Montana, were guests of Mrs. Sam Griffith and Mrs. L. Ward one day last week.

Mrs. Frank Scholtz of Merrill was the guest of her husband for a few days the past week. Mr. Scholtz is a machinist for the R. R. Co. here.

There was a ball game here last Sunday between Babcock and Meadow Valley, resulting in a victory for the Babcock team.

W. J. Sullivan's mother of Arkdale is visiting at the home of her son in the village.

Clyde Post and Viola Pero were married at the home of Mrs. Smith on Sunday.

Mrs. W. J. Sullivan and daughter, Maggie, spent Sunday in Merrill.

James Griffith and wife spent Sunday at Minocqua.

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—A concentrated spring water, with all the medical properites so well known to the public, can be found in the Pluto Concentrated water from French Lick Springs. Unexcelled for rheumatism, constipation, etc. Johnson & Hill drug department.

—Drink our egg lemonade. It's fine. Church's fountain.

RUDOLPH.

Geo. H. Livernash, the genial agent of the C. M. & St. P. Ry. at this point, goes to Babcock to take charge of the train despatcher's office for a short time. Olaf Croghan of Rudolph will take charge of Necedah station in the absence of Mr. Livernash.—Necedah Republican.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Yetter and children of Colby were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Akey on Friday and Saturday. They have recently moved to Grand Rapids and will make that place their future home.

Miss Laura Provost has been engaged to teach the coming year in district No. 4 at a salary of $40 per month. There will be nine months of school the coming year and it starts on the 7th of September.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Zeihms, Richard Zeihms of Green Bay and Mr. Shy, who have been guests of the Lyonnais family will leave for their respective homes on Thursday.

Miss Emma Hassell left on Saturday for a two weeks visit with Miss Augusta Roosen of Tomah.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Akey of Biron were visiting friends and relatives in this place on Sunday.

Mrs. I. Livernash of Star Lake is visiting friends and relatives in this burg.

—Girls Wanted—Inquire at the Witter House.

Treat Your Kidneys for Rheumatism.

When you are suffering from rheumatism, the kidneys must be attended to at once so that they will eliminate the uric acid from the blood. Foley's Kidney Cure is the most effective remedy for this purpose. R. T. Hopkins of Polar, Wis., says: "After unsuccessfully doctoring three years for rheumatism with the best doctors, I tried Foley's Kidney Cure and it cured me. I cannot speak too highly of this great medicine." Sold by Johnson & Hill Co.

Pope Leo XIII. has made his final confession. The last communion has been administered to him. The rite of extreme unction has been performed. Any moment now the great bell at Rome which sounds only when a Pope dies may begin to toll out the news of his earthly end. At the bedside of the dying Pope there watches to day the whole Christian world, irrespective creed. Men of the world's affairs pause and mourn no less deeply, than do the ministers of the world's souls. For Leo XIII has shown himself a great statesman, as well as a great prelate. In politics he is the last of a group of great ones, Bismark, William, Victoria, Disraeli, and Gladstone. Moreover, Pope Leo has been more than prelate and statesman—so much more that all thinkers everywhere look anxiously to his deathbed. A saintly character and a blameless life have been supplemented by a sincere and persistent effort to extend the kingdom of God on earth and to benefit hummanity. He has been a great pope, a light to the world, and a friend of the human race.—Inter Ocean.

—Indigestion arises from a weakened condition of the stomach, caused by over eating, or eating indigestible or improperly cooked food, alcoholic drinks, etc., thus exhausting nerve force and the stomach resulting in indigestion, dyspepsia, billiousness and constipation. A cure of these complaints can be effected in a short time by the regular use of Re-Go, the famous Tonic Laxative Syrup. The expense is only 25 or 50 cents and is only 26 or 50 cents and is certainly a modest doctor bill. Re-Go is sold by Sam Church.

Milwaukee Sentinel: Frank A. Cady and wife of Grand Rapids spent Sunday at the St. Charles, it being the first occasion on which Mr. Cady has left home since the legislature adjurned. "We had a hard winter in the judiciary committee and it took a few weeks to get the kinks out of my back," he remarked incidentally. "There are no politics in Wood county at present, but I guess there will be by and by. We are all business, especially at Grand Rapids. We are to have a new dam that will develop every bit of the power of the river, and a paper mill is to go in that will be a wonder.

"People are just awakening to the resources of the Wisconsin river valley and to the possibilities in the way of power which the river possesses. Pine and cranberries were well enough in their day and helped to open up the country, but now that the pine is all gone we seem to have more stuff left than we had on the start. Our electric road projects seem a little slow about getting in motion, but no doubt about dams, paper mills, and agriculture, and the three combined will continue to hold the valley in its place as the best section of Wisconsin.

Night Was Her Terror.

"I would cough nearly all night long," writes Mrs. Charles Applegate of Alexandria, Ind., "and could hardly get any sleep. I had consumption so bad that if I walked a block I would cough frightfully and spit blood, but, when all other medicines failed, three $1.00 bottles of Dr. King's New Discovery wholly cured me and I gained 58 pounds." It's absolutely guaranteed to cure Coughs, Colds, La Grippe, Bronchitis and all Throat and Lung Troubles. Price 50c and $1.00. Trial bottles free at John E. Daly's drug store.

Births in the City.

A boy arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John E. Schnabie on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Nokes welcomed a boy baby at their home on the west side on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Steib are rejoicing over a brand new boy at their home.

A girl baby arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Billmyre on Friday.

Go to the opera house next Monday eve and see Chimes of Notre Dame presented by Winninger Bros. Big Co. Prices 10, 20 and 30 cents. one lady admited free with every paid 30 cts. ticket reserved before 6 p. m.

Foreign Mission Work.

The Ladies' Foreign Missionary society was entertained at the home of Mrs. G. M. Hill, Wednesday, July 12, by Mesdames Boorman, Cochran, Palmatier, Otto and Hill.

Altho porch functions are very much in vogue these beautiful summer days, the ladies had not anticipated an afternoon spent in the open air, but Mrs. E. Fontaine, whose chair could not be rolled thru the door, being present, the ladies at once decided to spend the afternoon on the lawn. The circle formed was indeed a social one.

After many exchanges of good cheer, the meeting was called to order by Mrs. Emma Brundage. Prayer service was conducted by Mrs. E. B. Rossier. Mrs. George R. Gardner read a paper on the missions Wai and Vadale, which was par excellence.

This society never fails to have something of real worth to these seeking knowledge in missionary work. At the close of the program the following menu was served:

Bread and Butter — Cheese Sandwiches
Chicken Salad with Gelatine
Olives
Sundaes — Assorted Cakes
Coffee

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The Green Bay line has the best connections and shortest time between Grand Rapids and St. Paul, Minneapolis, Duluth, Ashland and all points north and west. Leaving Grand Rapids at 10:32 a. m., close connections are made at Merrillan or Winona. When you go try the Green Bay line. Please notice our Sunday excursion train; leaves Grand Rapids at 7 o'clock every Sunday morning. One fare for round trip to any point on the line east and no charge over $1.50. A. D. Hill, Agent.

Suing the Company.

Four men, Alex Gackowski, Emil Kamps, Emil Young and Alex Mindak, have brought suit against the St. Paul railroad company to recover damages on account of an accident that occurred last September, the wagon the men were on being struck by a box car while some switching was being done.

The case of Alex Gackowski came up for trial before Justice Cooper on Tuesday, but was dismissed on motion of the plaintiff's attorney, Gackowski not being of age.

Each of the men claim $200 damages. The case of Young comes up on the 16th, that of Kamps on the 20th and Mendak's on the 24th.

—J. O. Hebert, photographer, will give two color photos with every dozen cabinets for a short time. Call at gallery, opposite Heineman Mercantile Co.'s store.

Letter List.

West Side: Nina Bunforte, Martha Rozyczkowski, Charles Wescott, Weil Trefun, H. Matice, Adam Klonowski, Mr. W. Ruter, John Horner, Jan. Geleiynse, Jos. Okonowski, Joseph Welson.

East Side: Wm. Briggs, J. H. Carrington, Aug. Darel, Harry Femmerdin, Chas. W. Fenck, Michael Jozwiak Gustof Kunnender, Jesse Parker, W. E. Richardson, Paul Rustadt, Patrick Rush, Mrs. Matilda Johnson, Alice Lyman. Nellie Marry, Mrs. G. H. Richardson.

A Good Entertainment.

The Laurence University Glee Club gave a very good entertainment at the the Methodist church on Saturday evening at which there was a good attendance. The reading by Carl Waterman caught the fancy of the audience as did also the choruses by the Club. Altogether it was a very good entertaiment and all who attended were well pleased.

"Winninger Bros. Own Co."

Much interest is being taken in the appearance here next week of Winninger Bro. Own Co. It is composed of 25 people notable among which are A. W. Ellis, Helen Castle, Stella Wimmer, Chas. De Onze, and other high salaried Artists such as are usually seen with a popular price organization. Among the Vaudevile features are the Winninger Bros. Musical. Comedians, Lena De Laigle Singer and Dancer, Chas. Onde, Comedy Acrobat, and a Quartette of Male Voices. The Companys Repertoire includes: "Natures Nobleman" "Two Friends" "Chimesof Notre Dame" "Hearts of the Sierras" "Resurrection" and "To save her Honor". The Management of the Granb is to de congratulated upon having secured this without a doubt one of the best popular price attraction on the Road. All next week at opera House 10, 20, 30 cts.

Two Bottles Cured Him.

"I was troubled with kidney complaint for about two years," writes A. H. Davis of Sterling, Ia., "but two bottles of Foley's Kidney Cure effected a permanent cure." Sold by Johnson & Hill Co.

Predicts Lumber Mills' End

Alex Stwart, formerly congressman from the Wausau District, and one of the heaviest lumbermen in Wisconsin, was at the Hotel Pfister last week. "I think that within four years all the mills in the Wisconsin river valley that cut pine will have ceased operations," he said. "I only expect my mills to run two years after this season closes. Of course, there will be pine left on the Chippewa and some other rivers, but the Wisconsin will be stripped in four years.—Milwaukee Sentinel.

To cure a cold in One Day.

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July Weather Predictions.

The Rev. Irl R. Hicks the weather sharp, who sometimes guesses tolerably close, makes the following predictions as to what he thinks the weather will be for the remainder of July:

The second storm period will arrive about July 10, passing eastward over the country. Thunder storms with wind and rain can be expected. Another change will be due about July 14 and 15. On these dates look for a marked change to warmer, with falling barometer and more rain, wind and thunder. On and touching July 15, as the moon passes over the equator, from south to north, thunder clouds, local rains and much blustering will be followed by a westerly wind and cooler weather.

The regular storm period is central on July 20, extending its influence from about July 18 to 23, but the new moon on July 24 will tend to divert actual storms between these dates and draw them forward into the reactionary period central on July 25, 26 and 27.

One of the warmest waves in July may be counted on from Friday, July 24, to Monday, July 27. On the latter date electrical storms are probable, The equinoctial period of the planet Mars begins about July 20. Its influence will be added to other disturbing causes during the last ten days of July. The month comes to its close in the first stage of a regular storm period, the culumination of which will fall in the opening days of August.

As to the general outlook for July, we do not forcast a superabundance of rainfall. The drought conditions which have prevailed in the New England section and parts of Canada, we fear will work by long strides into the interior part of the continent; but it will take two or three years for it to reach a maximum and run its course in this country. Some eastern to northern parts of our great agricultual regions will feel a pinch of dryness in July and August, and most other sections will have little moisture to waste. We will venture to say that the autumn will be favorable to late planted crops, and that we believe the losses of flood regions may largely be made up by all who can possibly plant their lands with corn and other suitable crops.

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Modern Woodmen Picnic at Antigo, Wis.

Via the North-Western Line. Tickets will be sold at one fare for the round trip July 28 to Aug. 1, inclusive, limited to return until Aug. 3, inclusive. Apply to Agents Chicago & North-Western R'y.

Resurrection.

The original production of Count Leo Tolstoi's great international play "Resurrection" is one of the feature bills presented by Winninger Bros. Big Company of players at the Opera house next week. Prices 10, 20 and 30.

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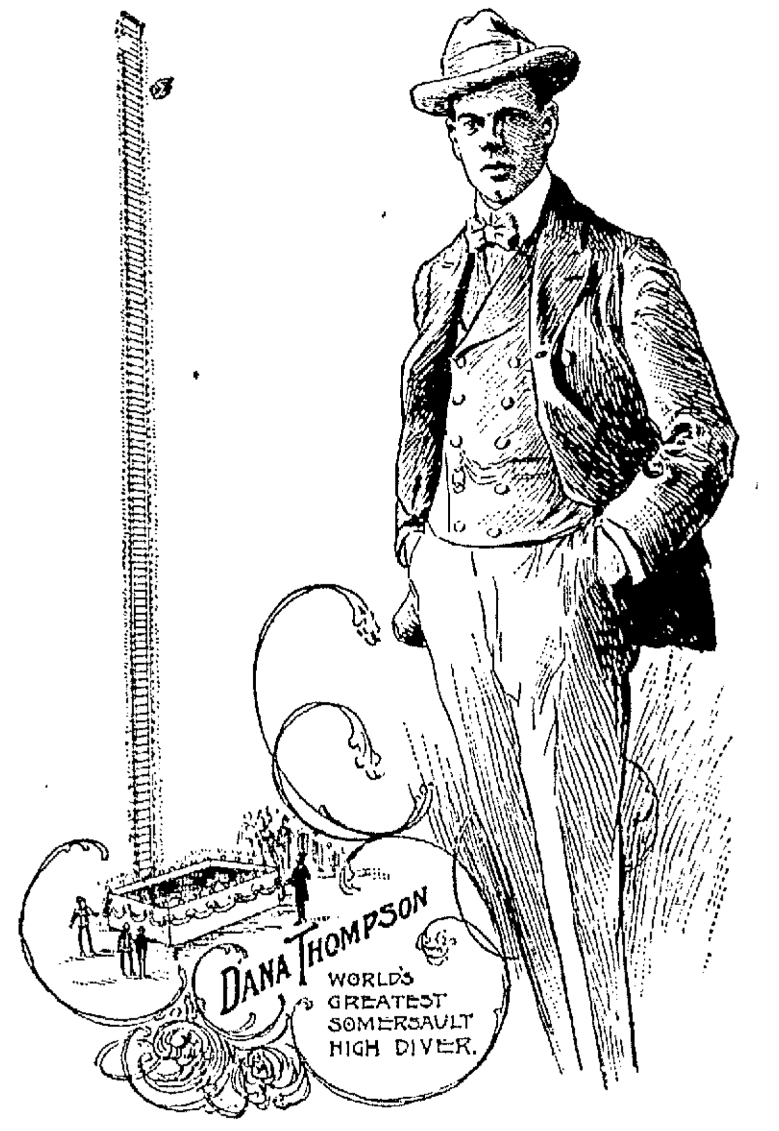
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Does Advertising Pay?

Do the people who own houses for rent read my 'ads?' In the last issue of this paper I stated that I wanted to rent a house, but up to the present have received no reply to that 'ad.'

Are the house owners of Grand Rapids afraid of my 'kids?' The fact is they're for sale at $1.00, $1.50 and $2. If you don't want to rent m your house buy a pair of my 'kids' and be made happy with a pair of the best gloves on the market.

I am still looking for a house. If you have a house for rent or know of one let me hear from you.

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See our new yacht caps. Just Received. Beauties and cheap at 1.50. We are now up-to-the-minute on hats, come in and see our line of stiff and soft hats. You will find here the hat to fit your face as well as your head. The Longley Hat and the Elke Brand Hat are here as well as many other good makes. One Dollar to Three.

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CRANBERRY MEN WILL HOLD MEET

PROMISES TO BE AN INTERESTING SESSION.

A Good Program Mapped Out with the Usual Picnic Dinner as a Drawing Card. No Doubt of a Good Crowd.

At a meeting of the officials of the Wisconsin State Cranberry Growers' Association the committee of arrangements adopted the following program for their summer meeting, to be held on Tuesday, August 18, at the Gaynor-Blackstone marsh, located between Cranmoor and Elm Lake stations.

The morning will be taken up in inspecting the nursery, now under the management of the University Experiment Station, and for which $2500 per annum was appropriated by the last Legislature. It is believed not only the growers, but everyone interested in the cranberry, from its home on the bog to its honored place at the banquet table, will find much of value in the work which is being carried on.

At 12:30 p. m. sharp, the usual picnic dinner will be served. The details will be under the efficient charge of Mrs. E. E. Warner, a guarantee of its success, and all intending to be present are requested to communicate with Mrs. Warner as to the refreshments to be furnished and other matters connected with the entertainment.

Everybody is cordially invited to attend, the sole condition being that each one—except the guests from abroad— shall bring to the general banquet board, as much as they expect to eat.

Afternoon Session.

Transfer of the Experiment Station—Address by President Chas. Briere

Report of Statistician.—Secretary W. H. Fitch.

Fixing Rates for Harvesting.—General Discussion.

Weather Forcasts.—Address by Prof. W. A. Cox, Section Director, Chicago, Ill.

Local Conditions that Induce Frost. —Address by W. W. Wilson Section Director Milwaukee, Wis.

The Relation of the University to Industrial Education.—Address by Prof. A. R. Whitson, University of Wisconsin.

Marketing.—Addresses by T. E. Hoskins of H. P. Stanley Co. Chicago, Ill., Ernest Peycke of Peycke Bros. Commission Co. Kansas City, Mo. and others.

Legislative Appropriation. — Addresses by State Senator H. P. Wipperman and Assemblyman F. A. Cady.

Exhibit at Saint Louis Fair—Report of Committee.

Miscellaneous Business. — Chas. Briere, President, W. H. Fitch, Secretary.

There is every indication that the meeting will be a very interesting one, even more so than those that have gone before. There are a larger number of men who have a reputation who will be in attendauce. and as the interest is growing every year in these meetings, there is no doubt, should the weather be favorable, that the coming meeting will be well attended.

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LETTER FROM ZENO M. HOST

SAYS THERE ARE MANY ILLEGAL COMPANIES IN STATE.

Warns the People Not to Patronize Those Companies That Are Doing Business Illegally.

I desire to warn the citizens of Wisconsin against a great many fire insurance compainies that are transacting business in the state without any authority and in direct violation of the law.

The Department of Insurance receives inquiries nearly every day about companies that are not licensed to transact business in Wisconsin. Any company that is willing to defy and evade the laws of this state cannot be trusted to settle its claims. Furthermore, a policy holder having a claim against one of those wild cat companies would be compelled to bring suit against the company in the state in which it is organized in order to recover his claim, and the chances are that he could collect nothing from the company.

The laws of Wisconsin provide that any person representing unauthorized companies in this state, is liable to the insured in case of loss and the company refuses to pay it. In most cases, however, wild cat companies cannot secure responsible people to represent them. therefore. this law does not protect the insured, for as a rule, persons representing wild cat companies are irresponsible and a judgment against them is worthless.

During the past six months, I have heard of the following compaines transacting business in this state without a license: American Trust and Insurance Co. of Illinois, American Underwriters of Illinois, Commonwealth Insurance Co. of Illinois, Commonwealth Savings and Insurance Co. of Virginia. Great Northern Insurance Co. of Illinois, Great Western Underwriters of Illinois. Mercantile Fire Insurance Co. of Illinois. National Insurance and Investment Co. of Delaware. Northern Fire Insurance Co. of Illinois.

These companies have no standing in their own states and are defrauding this state of taxes and fees of which this Department has collected, during the past six months, $500,000 from duly authorized companies. It is an injustice to authorized companies to permit wild cat companies to transact business in the state, and with a view of eliminating wild cat insurance policies and ascertain if the companies are authorized to transact business in Wisconsin, by calling on their agents and requesting him to show his certificate of authority to represent the company, unless they are positive the agent has such authority. Furthermore, a policy holder accepting insurance in wild cat companies is liable to the city, village or town maintaining a regularly organized fire department for the taxes due them for the maintenance of such department, and is guilty of violating the laws of Wisconsin if the tax is not paid annually to the treasurer of the city, village or town. See section 1926, Wisconsin Statutes of 1898, as amended by chapter 32, laws of 1899.

Yours truly, ZENO M. HOST
Commissioner of Insurance.

Newsboys Band Concert.

The following program has been arranged for the concert which the Journal Newsboys will give in this city on the evening of July 15th at the Lincoln highschool:

Part 1.

1. Medley of War Songs.................McCosh
(Salute to the Flag.)
The Journal Band.
2. Overture—Czarina.................Rathbun
The Journal Band.
3. Baritone Solo—Melodies in F
..................Rubenstein
Master Edward Schaum.
4. Recitation..................
Master Michael Greenberg.
5. March—Bill Board.................Klohr
The Journal Band.
6. Cornet Solo—The Commodore......
..................Chambers
Master John Dumphy.
7. Selection—Prince of Pilsen..........
..................Luders
The Journal Band.

Part 2.

1. Overture—The Elves.................Kiefer
The Journal Band.
2. Violin Solo—Concerto.................Spoller
Master Henry Winsauer.
3. Waltz—Wild Flowers.................Kiefer
The Journal Band.
4. Recitation..................
Master Michael Greenberg.
5. Selection—The Lizard and the Frog
..................Morse
The Journal Band
6. Bass Solo—The Mighty Deep......Jude
Master Robert Larson.
7. March—The Crisis..................Hall
The Journal Band.

Will Build a Church.

The Polish Catholic society of this city are preparing to erect a church in this city and are advertising for contracts on same.

They intend to erect a structure of brick, 48x86 feet, two stories high, which when completed will be used both a church and schoolhouse until the time comes when the congregation is wealthy enough to build a church. Rev. J. M. Korczyk of Pine River has charge of the congregation here, and he has been in the city the past week assisting the committee in completing their arrangements.

Congregational Services.

Rev. Shaw's subject next Sunday morning at First Congregational church will be "The Rainbow." Evening, Christian Endeavor society, meeting at 7:30.

—Secure Carrington's bus and transfer line for transportation to any part of the city. 10 cents from 7 a. m. to 7 p. m. Telephone 285.

SOUTH CENTRALIA MILL DAMAGED.

HAS A NARROW ESCAPE FROM TOTAL DESTRUCTION.

Fire Catches in hot Air Shaft of the Main Mill and Soon the Cupalo Is a Mass of Flames.—Fire is Extinguished With the Mill's Appliances.

An alarm of fire was turned in from the south side at ten o'clock this morning, and when it was found that it was the paper will at South Centralia that was burning considerable anxiety was felt here for fear that it might be impossible to extinguish the flames before serious damage was done, a condition that would be deplored by all. Luckily the fire was soon got under subjection and it is not considered that the damage will be over $500.

The fire caught in a hot air shaft that conducts the heated air from the number one machine. From the exit of this shaft it worked to the roof and running up between the ceiling and roof, soon the cupalo on top of the mill was a mass of flames. Several chemical extinguishers were at hand, and these were applied at once, which subdued the flames sufficiently so that the apparatus of the mill was got at work and the flames were entirely extinguished.

Both of the fire departments of this city went to the scene as rapidly as possible, but before either of them could be used the flames had been extinguished. The cupalo was pretty well burned off the mill and considerable dirt and grit dropped down onto the machine from the ceiling, but it is not thought that the damage will exceed $500 all told.

Taken all together it was a very lucky escape from a disastrous conflagration, a fact that the owners and people in general are to be congratulated upon.

New Lodge Organized.

A lodge of the Modern Brotherhood of America was organized in this city on Monday evening by Thos. E. Cage, district manager of the order. The new lodge starts out with twenty-five charter members and bids fair to become a useful and healthy organization. The following officers were elected:

J. J. Looze, president.
George Metcalfe, vice president.
Frank Abel, secretary.
Selmar Chose, treasurer.
J. J. Bellin, camp physician.
Charles Reed, chaplain.
Thos. Paterick, conductor.
Robert Perkins, watchman.
Louis Meunier, sentry.

—A. R. Bass of Morgantown, Ind., had to get up ten or twelve times in the night, and had a severe backache and pains in the kidneys. Was cured by Foley's Kidney Cure. Sold by Johnson & Hill Co.

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SCHOOL CENSUS COMPLETED.

Figures Show a Very Healthy Gain Over Those of Last Year.

During the past two weeks Will Raymond has been engaged in taking the annual school census and the figures show a very healthy increase over last year. The number between the ages of 4 and 20 this year is 1851, and as the number last year was 1619, there is an increase of 232.

It is customary for people to figure out the population of a city from the school census but it has been found that the figures that apply to one community are entirely off in another, while they vary greatly in different years of the same community, so this method is not taken much stock in any more.

Multiplying the number of school children by 3½, which is considered a conservative method, gives us a total of 6 478, which would be the population of the city. However, this figure is undoubtedly too high, as it is hardly probable that the city has increased two thousand in the past three years. It does not matter, tho, just what the increase is, it is a good healthy one, one that we should all be proud of.

CRANBERRIES IN THE EAST.

Partial Failure of the Crop Predicted in Cape Cod Region.

A clipping from the Boston Herald, received by W. H. Fitch, tells of the probable destruction of about half of the crop in that section of the country. This much of a shortage may not seem to amount to much to the casual observer, but when it is remembered that Cape Cod produces four-sevenths of all the cranberries of the country, and Wisconsin one-seventh. it will be seen that one-half of Cape Cod crop means twice as many as raised in Wisconsin, which prove quite an item and undoubtedly have considerable influence on the market price of the berries.

The New Jersey berries are said to be all right and as that section of the country produces about two-sevenths of the entire crop, this will have a tendency to keep the price from soaring inordinately high. However, there is no question but what should the growers in this section gather their crop without further mishap that they will get good prices for their product.

Grace Estella Getts.

Grace Estella Getts, the oldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. H. Getts, died at the home of her parents on Friday evening after an illness of only six days. The cause of her death was peritonitis.

She was taken sick on the evening of the 4th with severe pain, and in a very few days the trouble had affected her so seriously that her relatives felt that there was little chance for her recovery, and altho everything possible was done for her, her death seemed to be inevitable, and she passed away at 10:30 o'clock on the 10th instant, conscious to the last.

The funeral was held on Monday afternoon from the Congregational church, Rev. B. J. H. Shaw officiating, the remains being interred in Forest Hill cemetery. The Lady Maccabees, of which order she was a member, attended in a body.

She is survived by her father and mother, two brothers, Guy and Roy, and her sister, Minnie. The relatives have the sincerest sympathy of all in their bereavement.

Annual Church Meeting.

The annual meeting of thr Congregational society was held on Monday evening. There was a good attendance and the church reports show the institution to be in a most prosperous condition. During the past year there have been added 23 new members, and there is a balance of cash in the treasury.

A committee was appointed to confer with the trustees of the church about some improvements about the edifice. Among the things talked of are a basement under the structure and an enlargement of the auditorium. A hearty vote of thanks was given Rev. Shaw for his efficient work during the past year, and a special vote of thanks was tendered T. A. Taylor for his work in bringing the choir up to such a high standard, and enabling them to furnish the people with such a high grade of music.

Notice to Contractors.

Grand Rapids, Wis., July 15th 1903.

The building committee of St. Laurence's congregation of Grand Rapids, Wis, will accept until August 3d, 7 o'clock p. m. sealed proposals for erection of the school and sister-house at that city. $100.00 in cash or certified check must accompany each bid as a sign of good faith. Plans and specifications may be examined at the residence of Mr. John Kubisiak, Grand Rapids to whom all bids must be sent. Right to reject any or all bids is reserved to the building committee.

By order of St. Laurence's building committee.

Rev. J. M. KORCZYK, Pastor.

Had Imbibed Too Freely.

William Reed was taken before Justice Cooper on Saturday on a charge of being drunk and disorderly. Owing to a lack of funds he is serving out a five day sentence in the county jail.

V. W. Chandler paid a fine of $5.00 and costs before Justice Brown on Saturday, the charge being drunk and disorderly.

When Other Medicines Have Failed take Foley's Kidney Cure. It has cured when everything else has disappointed. Sold by Johnson & Hill Co.

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Cury.

"Yes," said the nervous man, "I have a habit of talking in my sleep."

And the eminent citizen who is expected to respond to an ovation in every town that the train goes through murmured:

"What a valuable accomplishment!" —Washington Star.

He Knew Him.

Haskins—It maddens me to see the contempt Gowdy has for his wife.

Billings—Why, that's the very thing I like about Gowdy. He couldn't be honest if he didn't have contempt for the woman who could take him for a husband.—Boston Transcript.

A Little Too Clever.

Sir Charles Napier was at one time governor of Gibraltar. One day by some mischance he mislaid the keys of his safe. Search being unavailing, he sent down to the engineers' yard to know if they had a man capable of picking a lock.

A certain sapper, whose skill at lock picking was well known, was sent to the governor's house, and, with the aid of a few pieces of wire, he very shortly succeeded in opening the safe. Napier was amazed at his celerity, but said nothing.

Next morning the sapper was sent for by his colonel, who handed him a five pound note and informed him that, by Napier's order, he was to return to England, for home service, by the next boat, as the governor did not think it safe to keep a man on the rock who could pick the most complicated lock as easily as he could eat his breakfast.

OUR NEW STORE

Will soon be finished and when it is done we will have to move. In order to avoid handling as many goods as possible we have inaugurated a

GREAT REMOVAL SALE

At which everything will be **Sold at Cost.** There will be bargains all along the line for we would rather sell the goods than to remove them to our new store, for it costs money to move goods, and we would rather you would get the profit than to eat it up by handling the goods. The sale started on

Monday, July 6th and will Continue till Tues., September 1st.

If you miss this sale you will miss a chance of a lifetime to buy goods at cost, and in many cases below cost. Here are a few of the prices at which things will go at this sale:

Sticky Flypaper, stick them, 4 double sheets 5c
J. Clark's Machine Thread, per spool 2c
Good fancy Ginghams, worth 8c, this sale 4c
Good India Linen, small lengths, worth 12½ 7c
Good fancy Dimity, worth up to 15c, sale 5c
Good heavy big Bedspread, at this sale 55c
Turkey Red Table Linen, at this sale 12½
A good Rolling Pin goes at this sale for 3c
Fancy Check Crash Suiting, at this sale 6c
Heavy Blue Flannel, a bargain, this sale 15c
Glass Tumblers go at this sale for each 1c
Good Enameled Wash Basin, worth 25c 12c
Black Mosquito Netting, this sale per yd 2c
Good Tea Dust in paper package, per lb 8½c
Big Reduction in our full line of Shoes.
Men's and Boys' Suits at your own price.
Good Salmon at this sale 1 lb. can for 10c
All our stock of millinery goes at cost.
Maple City Toilet Soap, per 2 bar box 3c

Floor Oilcloth, at this sale per yard 19c
120 Sheets Writing Paper goes for 10c
4 dozen patent Hooks and Eyes for 1c
15 bars Laundry Soap, removal sale price 25c
Men's Worsted Pants worth $1.00, sale 50c
Ladies' Mercerized Shirt Waists, worth 50c 29c
Ladies' fancy Gingham Shirt Waists 25c
Ladies' Sun Bonnets, worth 25c, sale 10c
A Good Tin Pie Plate, removal sale 1c
Ladies' white Handkerchiefs, worth 5c 1c
Child's Silk Windsor Ties, worth 15c 5c
Men's Over Shirts, removal sale price 10c
Men's Laundered Shirts at this sale for 25c
Men's Unlaundered Shirts at this sale 15c
Men's Underwear, removal sale price 15c
Ladies' Sailor Hats, worth 25c, sale price 10c
Child's Black Hose, to go at this sale for 1c
A good Mop Stick goes at this sale for 5c

We have 1,000 more bargains in our store which we must dispose of before we go into our new store, but time and space don't allow us to quote them all. We ask you to call in and see what we have and you will be convinced that we are offering you real bargains.

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THE SOUP PLATE.

A Seventeenth Century Cookbook Tells Why It Was Invented.

A valet of Louis XIV. published a cookbook in 1655 in which he gives as follows the reason for the invention of the hollow soup plate:

The plates of the guests will be hollow in order that they may help themselves to as much soup as they may want without being obliged to take it spoonful by spoonful, because of the disgust they may have for one another on seeing the spoon go from the mouth to the tureen.

Guests, it will be seen, used their own spoons to fill their plates, the large spoon to be used for serving the soup not being invented till some time later. Yet even a hundred years after the invention of the soup plate (1749) a work on civility advised that all the dishes should be so placed on the table that every one could reach them with his spoon and that if the soup was served in a dish (tureen) every one should help himself with his own spoon without seeming to be in a hurry. A work on manners that appeared just before the French revolution deemed it best to advise its readers that it was impolite to pass the spoon back and forth between the mouth and the tureen.

A Plea For Descriptive Titles.

Setting aside the flood not to be counted as literature, the naming of a book that is worthy of a name is a matter of real moment. Two methods seem to have been followed—that of using the name of a leading character, as "Jane Eyre" and "Rob Roy;" the other that of giving some hint of the nature of the book, as in "Vanity Fair" and "The Cloister and the Hearth." The first method has no justification. What we plead for is that a title shall contain the soul or the keynote of the book. Then the author and reader start on fair terms. Jane Austen, a consummate artist, understood this well, as in "Pride and Prejudice," but forsook her advantage in "Emma"—a better book and susceptible to as telling a title. It is difficult to estimate what would have been the loss to literature if "The Scarlet Letter" had been labeled "Hester Prynne" and "The House of Seven Gables"—a title that has worked its way into architecture—had been called "The Pyncheons."—Dr. Theodore T. Munger in Booklovers' Magazine.

Weighing a Field of Turnips.

The English farmer makes use of mathematics in his work, says a London paper. Suppose, for example, that he wishes to know the weight of his turnip crop while it is still in the ground, which is sometimes a matter of importance, a simple calculation will give him the information.

It is the custom in England to plant turnips in ridges twenty-eight inches apart; this makes ninety ridges to the acre. The farmer selects a row where the crop seems about the average and pulls up all the turnips in a measured yard of the row and weighs them.

Assuming that they weigh ten pounds, a simple calculation shows that the crop averages a little more than twenty-eight tons to the acre. If they weigh eleven pounds, the average will be about thirty-one tons to the acre.

A Famous Emerald.

The emerald is mentioned by St. John in his Apocalypse. An emerald of inestimable value ornamented the bezel of the ring of Polycrates, king of Samos. That monarch, having been all his life favored by fortune, determined to put his luck to a severe test. He threw the ring into the sea. The next day he went fishing.

The record of that day's sport still remains unbroken. His majesty caught a fine fish, and in the inside of the fish he found his ring. That happened in the year 230 of the foundation of Rome, and the ring, considered as a talisman, was placed among the royal treasures of the Temple of Concord.

America's Largest Snake.

The largest American serpent is the anaconda, which may attain a length of thirty feet. It inhabits tropical America and is a handsome animal, with dark round spots scattered over its whole body on a groundwork of rich brown. It is very fond of water and haunts the banks of rivers, lakes and streams, there lying in wait for any deer or peccary which may come to the margin of the water to drink.

Flowers and Scents.

Some flowers appear to change their scents at different times. The common jasmine flowers when first opened have a delicate, fresh perfume which, after a time, becomes grosser and attracts bluebottle flies. Flowers of the orchid Odontoglossum hebraicum have a cinnamon fragrance and a hawthorn scent at different periods of their bloom.

Two Evils.

"I can't imagine a worse gilly than the man who's forever indulging in small talk."

"Oh, I don't know! He's no worse than the fellow who is forever talking big."—Philadelphia Press.

For a Switch Off.

"I wish you'd send ma to one of those electricians' schools, pop."

"Why, what do you mean, my son?"

"She's altogether too careless with the switch, pop."—Yonkers Statesman.

Fully Explained.

"Yes, she has a case of 'nerves.'"

"What's that?"

"Well, to be frank, it's the name we use when a wealthy patient is just plain cranky."—Chicago Post.

People who grumble in cloudy weather usually wear veils when the sun shines.

SERVANTS IN ECUADOR.

The Traveler Is Forced to Hire Many to Serve Him.

If you were living in Ecuador and wished to hire a servant you could hardly get one by himself or herself, but would be compelled to take up with a drove of them, probably far outnumbering your own family. For example, with a cook you would have to receive her husband and children, and perhaps also her father and mother, into your house to bed and board, and each would bring along all his or her portable property, consisting mainly of domestic pets, such as pigs, chickens, rabbits, dogs and other "live stock." The husband may have some trade which he follows during the day, but at mealtimes and when night comes he returns to the bosom of his family and yours. It would be considered downright inhumanity to refuse them food and shelter, and not a servant in Ecuador would work for so mean a master or mistress. The children of your cook may be utilized for light services, such as running errands, weeding the garden and tending the baby, but the numerous brood is apt to be "light fingered" and certain to be lousy, dirty and probably diseased. There is no help for it, however, because "el costumbre" has decreed that for every servant you hire you must expect at least a dozen extra mouths to feed.

Nor is this the worst of it. Occasionally the cook's relatives from another village come to pay her a visit of a fortnight or two—lasting as long as you will tolerate it—men, women and children, bringing more dogs, pigs, chickens, etc., to be housed and fed. Fortunately, they are not accustomed to "downy beds of ease" or sumptuous living, but consider themselves in clover if plentifully supplied with beans, corn meal and potato soup, and will sleep contentedly on the stones of the patio or the straw of the stable. The danger is that some of the stranger hangers on may not be as honest as the cook herself is supposed to be, and cases are known where thieves and even murderers thus gained admission to the inside of the casa with disastrous results.—Philadelphia Record.

PICKINGS FROM FICTION.

Most of us look best at a little distance from one another.—"Paul Kelver."

It is only in higher circles that women can lose their husbands and yet remain bewitching.—"The Gray Wig."

No man who is not an egotist or worse is ever sure of a woman's love till she has told it with her own lips.—"His Daughter First."

When in doubt go to church, for there's nothing that lets a man think better than a long prayer and a slow sermon.—"Adam Rush."

There are sixteen ounces to the pound still, but two of them are wrapping paper in a good many stores.—"Letters of a Self Made Merchant."

I used to think that marriage made men old, sour and suspicious. I find I was mistaken. It is not the wife; it is the money market.—"Love and the Soul Hunters."

I b'lieve in havin' a good time when you start out to have it. If you git knocked out of one plan you want to git yourself another right quick, before your sperrits has a chance to fall.—"Lovey Mary."

How Climate Has Changed.

In Switzerland a mean temperature equal to that of north Africa at the present time is shown by its fossil flora to have prevailed during the miocene or middle tertiary epoch. Anthropoid apes lived in Germany and France; fig and cinnamon trees flourished at Dantzic; in Greenland, up to 70 degrees of latitude, magnolias bloomed and vines ripened their fruit, while in Spitzbergen and even in Grinnell Land, within little more than 8 degrees of the pole, swamp cypresses and walnuts, cedars, limes, planes and poplars grew freely, water lilies covered over standing pools and irises lifted their tall heads by the margins of streams and rivers.—Edinburgh Review.

When the Barber Was a Wit.

In original literature the barber is a great figure, and Arabian tales are full of him. In Italy and Spain he was often the brightest man in town, and his shop was headquarters for wit and intrigue. Jasamin became famous as a poet in southern France and recited his verses with razor, scissors, brush and comical gestures as he dressed the hair and beard of fine ladies and gentlemen in his shop. He had a great run, made money, hived fame, and Smiles made a book about him.

Her Advantage.

"Oh, dear!" said little Harold's mother, who was somewhat rheumatic. "I seem to ache all over."

"Well," said her sweet child, "I'm sorry, but not as sorry as I'd be for father if he felt that way."

"Why would you feel more sorry for your father, love?"

"'Cause they'd be such a lot more of him to ache."—Chicago Record-Herald.

Prejudice.

Judge—Do you solemnly swear to tell the truth, the whole truth and nothing but the truth?

Witness—I do.

Judge—What is your occupation?

Witness—I was employed in the weather bureau.

Judge—You are excused.—Philadelphia Telegraph.

Bad Literature.

Philanthropist—You say bad literature brought you here? What made you read it?

Convict—I didn't—I wrote it. I wuz a poet an' had ter steal ter keep from starvin'.—Judge.

NEWFOUNDLAND WRECKERS.

The Bounty That Is Gleaned From a Barren Shore.

In bygone times it was the practice of the Newfoundland coast folk to appropriate everything they secured, but this lawlessness had to be sternly repressed. Now the unwritten rule is that they get "half their hand," or 50 per cent, as salvage. In portable and valuable articles, such as silverware, there is still a strong temptation to keep the whole, but the punishment is severe. Champagne, liquors, cabin stores and the like have also a trick of disappearing, and in the poorest fisher's cottage you will come upon rare china, dainty napery, silverware of price and wines to tempt an epicure. The salvors are reckless and unthinking, and as they gather in hundreds every man pre-empts what he can. In the rush there is much destroyed. When the Herder was lost in 1882 they burned whalebone worth $15,000 a ton to save leather costing 20 cents a pound. In the Emmeline wreck of 1900 they trampled crates of costly glassware to get at four cases of French prayer books valued at 25 cents apiece. On one occasion two salvors had got ashore a piano and were adopting the Solomon-like expedient of sawing it in half when a shrewder chum bought it from them for a bottle of whisky looted from the captain's cabin. When the Grasbrook went ashore in 1890 every man on the shore provided himself with a German concertina, of which instruments of torture she had a large consignment, and to secure them packages of much more costly freight were thrown overboard. When the Orion, from Baltimore for Copenhagen, struck the back of Cape Race and went to pieces she had a large consignment of bicycles on board, and they were auctioned in St. John's and disposed of all over the island. The Abbeymore's lading in 1898 included some cases of splendid English rifles for Canada, and these are now to be seen adorning every fisher's cottage along the shore.—P. T. McGrath in McClure's.

FOOD, WATER AND AIR.

The Essential Things Out of Which Blood Is Made.

These are the things out of which blood is made. If the food is nutritious and properly cooked, if the air is pure and full of oxygen, if the water is clean and free from impurities, the blood will be rich and red and full of vitality.

Barring physical accidents, there is no sickness except that depending directly upon a want of food or water or air, sometimes all three. When any one is sick the presumption is that he has been trying to subsist on poor food or vitiated air or bad water, one or more.

In order to have good food a person ought to have the first eating of it. Food that has been mussed over and left by one person is not fit to be eaten by another.

In order to have good air a person ought to have the first breathing of it. Air that has been breathed by other persons is not fit to breathe again.

Water should be fresh from some spring or well. If hydrant water must be used let it run a bit, as the house pipes are apt to be of lead and not iron like the pipes that convey the water through the city.

Food that is relished, air that cools and invigorates, water that is quaffed with eager thirst—these are the things that make blood. Put fresh air into the lungs, good food and pure water into the stomach, and nature will do the rest.—Medical Talk.

A Trick With an Egg.

Place two V shaped wineglasses of the same size near the edge of a table. In the right hand one put an egg, just fitting the rim of the glass. Hold the bases of the glasses firmly down, the top rims touching each other. Now, with a quick, sharp breath, blow upon the line where the egg and the glass meet. The egg will jump to the other glass. With a little practice this can be done every time. Be careful to blow in a line with the left hand glass, or the egg will jump in the wrong direction and land on the table with disastrous results.

Her Objection.

"Don't you think you are taking the wrong stand when you say you do not wish your son to marry, Mrs. Willoughby?" asked an intimate friend. "Don't you know it is natural and best for a young man to marry and that he will not think any the less of his mother because he has a wife?"

"Oh, it isn't that," protested Mrs. Willoughby. "I don't mind his marrying on general principles, but I don't want to be called 'the old Mrs. Willoughby.'"—New York Press.

Awake.

Sharp—Why, I almost lost money on the goods I sold to you. How much do you think I made on the order?

Byer—About twenty-five times as much.

Sharp—Twenty-five times as much as what?

Byer—As you were going to say you made.—Philadelphia Ledger.

Not Used to It.

Hostess—I wonder why your little brother seems so restless and uncomfortable?

Little Ethel—I think it's 'cause his hands is clean.—Stray Stories.

All One to Him.

"Look, papa! The duke has brought his coronet."

"Tell him to go ahead and play it. I don't mind the noise."—Life.

There are more fools than sages, and among sages there is more folly than wisdom.—Chamfort.

For weeks he expected daily some belated storm of reproaches, tears or entreaties. When that did not come, he grew suspicious and examined the monthly bills with bitter curiosity, wondering if in some way Pauline were not supplying herself with money through her power of ordering without stint. But he could discover no flagrant excess of any kind. The amounts seemed, indeed, to his masculine mind absurdly small, but then he had only his first wife's folly and mad extravagance to compare with them.

A temptation of this kind had, it is true, momentarily occurred to Pauline. It was only a few days after the beginning of her penance when Edith Arnold, her most intimate friend, came hurrying in with the suggestion that they should go to the theater together.

"I feel just like hearing 'The Geisha,' she began breathlessly as she pulled off her gloves. "I'm going to stay to lunch, and then we'll be off. I'm starved. Hope to goodness you've got something fit to eat." Edith's cheeks were very red, her teeth very white, and she poured out her words with an energy and decision which admitted of no resistance. Now, Mr. Sewall had included in the cruel minuteness of his thoughtfulness a couple of season tickets to two of the most popular theaters. Pauline suggested with what grace she could that they should go to one or the other of these, but it was all of no use. She had found it a matter of comparative ease to hide her embarrassing secret from her father and sisters, but from Edith's straightforward and unabashed persistency she could find no refuge. It was half humiliating and half a relief to tell and half painful and half amusing to hear Edith's excited comments and exclamations.

"I never heard such a thing! The old brute! Truly, Pauline, isn't it awful? But you were nasty. What an abominable thing to say to the poor old dear! Pauline, how could you?

"I don't blame him a bit. But how do you get along? Not a single cent?" Edith went off into fits of laughter, and Pauline could not help joining in a hysterical sort of way.

"No matter," went on Edith impulsively, giving Pauline a sudden and somewhat upsetting embrace. "I'll give you half my allowance every month, or a third. No, I won't either. You can get hats and dresses and things, and I'll pay you for them. All the girls will. You can set up a regular shop. It will be great sport."

Pauline listened, with a smile. She suddenly felt very old, very "married." She knew Edith did not mean a hundredth part of what she said, but these were suggestions, some of which had come to her already, by which she could easily gain ready money without much likelihood of her husband's ever discovering it. She had put them aside, however, without a struggle. She had begun to look upon this thing as a desperate sort of game in which she was determined, whatever might be the outcome, to use no unfair means, to tolerate no assistance.

She went by Edith's invitation to "The Geisha." But she did not go about much with the women of her acquaintance. She had always the dread of exposing her lack of money. She never went to church without her husband for very craven fear of the godly man who carries the contribution box. Most galling of all, she felt the necessity of refusing all help to her miserable brother.

The spring was coming on fast now, and the Hudson across the wide Riverside drive, on which the Sewalls' house fronted, lay crisp and blue under the keen April wind. Pauline had been married almost a year, and there was not a wretched waif in the city who had not felt money in her fingers more lately than the girl who had "bagged a millionaire." Josiah Sewall came home early from the city on several of these delicious days and begged for a seat with his wife when she went to drive.

Sometimes in the morning he would himself order the carriage and ask Pauline to drive with him down through the city. The park was lovely with fresh green grass and the yellow blossoms of the forsythia.

One night at this time he was looking over a report from a charitable society which Pauline had joined in accordance with his wish. "I see by this," he said suddenly, "that there was a call for extra contributions to pay for readers to the sick poor. Your name is not among those who responded," he continued, rather sternly. "I don't like to have you niggardly in such matters." Josiah Sewall was strongly philanthropic, and his displeasure made him for an instant forget. "I offered instead to read once a week myself," said his wife briefly, and, looking up with a rather flushed face, she surprised suddenly the old twinkle of the eye which was the only sign of amusement he ever showed.

It was about a week after this when one morning Pauline went in to town with her husband on the "elevated." They were to decide upon some household furnishings at a shop far down in the city. It was not the first time they had done this. Mr. Sewall always put his wife on her return train, buying her ticket and gravely saying "Goodby," as if she were a child. But on this particular day some hurry of business occupied his mind, and when they had finished their errand he shook hands abstractedly at the door of the shop and hastened off down the street. Pauline stood still, staring after him. After all, in spite of having been without a penny for all these months, she had never before felt any real physical deprivation from it.

It was 11 o'clock, and she was five miles from home—five miles of city streets, crowded and bustling, on a languid spring day, when ordinary existence becomes an effort. Pauline felt an impulse to run after her husband, but second thought forbade anything so humiliating. She knew plenty of shops where she would once have explained that she had lost or forgotten her purse, but this, too, she would not do. She would accept no money from a stranger while that of her husband was withheld. She could walk a mile to Sewall & Co.'s big shop and telephone for the brougham, but she feared encountering Josiah himself. So at last she trudged off determinedly on the long road home, somewhat weary toward the end, in spite of a certain satisfying consciousness of suffering martyrdom.

To Josiah himself the realization came suddenly a short time after he had left Pauline standing in the street. The old man was distressed and chagrined, but his hard face softened almost to a smile as he thought of the predicament of this small, quiet person, with head stubbornly upright, who had taught him so much during the past year concerning that curious puzzle, woman.

Would she be conquered of her unyielding obstinacy now? Would the prospect of five miles of hard walking send her to him after all these months to humbly beg for 5 cents, or would she get the money in some other way? He had come to understand her well enough to fancy she would not, and then came back her hateful words.

Nevertheless he said to her sharply at dinner, when they were drinking their coffee, "How did you get home this morning?"

"I walked," she answered quietly. She did not look up.

Her husband fancied she looked tired and dragged, though as a matter of fact she was not in the least so. It is a curious proof of what unpremeditated things even a seasoned and iron willed man of the world will sometimes do when Josiah Sewall impulsively thrust his hand into his pocket and drew out a handful of bills and loose change. "By heavens," said he, "it is a brutal shame! You shall never again"—

"You have no right to treat me so," she cried.

Pauline was on her feet in an instant, flushed and angry, her hands clinched at her sides.

"I will not touch one cent of your money because you pity me!" she cried excitedly.

Her husband's face, arrested a moment in his surprise, hardened again into the old stern lines. He thrust his money back again into his pocket and went on as if he had not been interrupted. "You shall never again touch it for any other reason." The anger and defiance of her eyes faced the stern scorn of his, and neither fell.

Then she flamed out again. "You were cruel to me before," she cried, "cruel and unjust. You condemned me before you heard, and when I told you I married you for money you must have known I lied. But you have no right to treat me so. I will not touch your money from pity, but I tell you I will make you give it to me as my right. I am your wife, and it is mine as well as yours. I will make you!"

Josiah Sewall sat leaning heavily forward on the table. His eyes were keen through lids nearly closed. His face was white and set, but it was not bitter, only the face of a man who pits himself against a well matched opponent and longs for the bout to begin.

"I bet you $10,000 you will never make me."

Pauline stared at him curiously, with parted lips, startled out of herself. "I'll remember that," she said, but mechanically, and then she went past him out of the room. Yet by the time she had reached her chamber she had once more that self control, had said what she did not mean, had made a fool of herself.

Pauline suffered for many days. Mr. Sewall treated her with distant coldness. There were no more drives, no more conversations. The poor girl felt with a bitter sense of injustice that she had lost the precious results of all these long months for the sake of a moment of bravado. How could she make him give her his money as her right? she asked herself scornfully. Should she go in her brougham, in her well made clothes, with all the evidences of wealth about her, to a lawyer and accuse her husband of nonsupport? Why, indeed, did she want the money now at all, excepting for poor John's sake? To gain her end would be a barren victory if she could not win with it the love and respect of this stern old man whom she had married.

And so Pauline set to work to storm her husband's stern heart through the twinkle in his eye, to bring about her "rights" with a jest, which is the only way they will ever be gained while men are men and women are wise.

One day Mr. Sewall was surprised by a request from his wife to visit in Boston an elderly aunt whom she had not seen since she was little more than a child.

It was early in June, and the request was the first she had made to him for over a year. "I shall be obliged to ask you to buy me a ticket," she said haughtily. It was evidently an effort to ask so much. Her husband stared at her in surprise. He had had a sudden vision of her, his wife, alone and penniless, in a strange city.

"Do you realize"— he began and broke off again. "You are not accustomed," he went on, rather awkwardly, "to traveling by yourself. I am going on next week myself, as you know, to make my quarterly visit at my Boston shop. Will you not wait and go with me?"

"Thank you, I believe not," said Pauline quietly. "I have made my arrangements to go sooner."

Mr. Sewall saw her off a few days later with rather curious sensations. There had been a terrible struggle in his masterful mind as to whether he should not force upon this willful girl the money she had so lately refused, but pride had held him back. He had also perhaps a suspicion that he might not succeed. He watched her serene departure with a mixture of impatience and admiration, but found himself absurdly relieved when he got a brief note a few days later announcing her safe arrival.

The house seemed lonely enough without her. Josiah Sewall was a stoic at heart, but he caught himself during these days imagining nervously all sorts of predicaments into which Pauline's penniless condition might betray her, and there were sometimes moments of unaccustomed doubt as to whether he had acted always for the best toward this second wife of his, who, in spite of everything, had brought so much peace and happiness into his life. The thought of her boasting words never failed to bring a contemptuous smile to his face, but in his heart of hearts he did not now believe she had married him for his money.

He went to Boston by the midnight train on his accustomed date. The next morning he went early, as usual, to the big branch shop which bore his name. He never failed on these visits to review personally the long line of men and women who were in his employment, paying them, as he did so, their weekly wages, for it was a part of his theory to come as intimately into contact with all the details of his business as lay in one man's power.

At the very end of the long file on this particular day he stopped short at the sight of a quiet looking girl in black.

He turned to the foreman so suddenly that the man started. "This woman is new here," he said sternly. "Where did you find her?"

Mr. Watson looked disturbed. "She came yesterday morning, sir," he said in a confidential tone of apology. "She hasn't had much experience, I guess, but she brought a very urgent note from your wife, sir, Mrs. Sewall, sir, I thought," he continued, lowering his voice so that the girl, standing with downcast eyes, should not hear, "that she might be some young lady who was driven to work because her folks were in difficulty at home"—

"She brought a note from Mrs. Sewall? Very urgent, did she?" interrupted his employer. His expression did not change, but there was something in his voice which made the foreman breathe freely once more.

"From Mrs. Sewall, you say?" repeated Josiah again, and then his glance met the glance of the girl before him, and the signal she was waiting for twinkled there.

"How much do I owe her?" went on Mr. Sewall sharply.

"Sixty-three cents, sir," answered Mr. Watson. "She has been working only half a day."

Josiah Sewall opened the drawer of his desk and pulled out his checkbook. He made out, under the startling orbs of the foreman, a check for $10,000.63, signed it and held it toward the girl. She looked up into his face gravely, but her eyes were saucy.

"I cannot accept that, sir," she said.

"Why not?" said her husband sternly. "Do you not honor my checks?"

Then she smiled at him suddenly and radiantly. "Yes," she said, "but I prefer ready money."

Mr. Dooley on Generosity.

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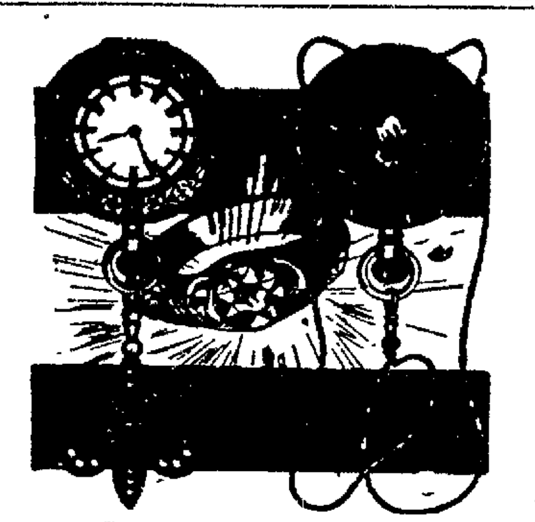

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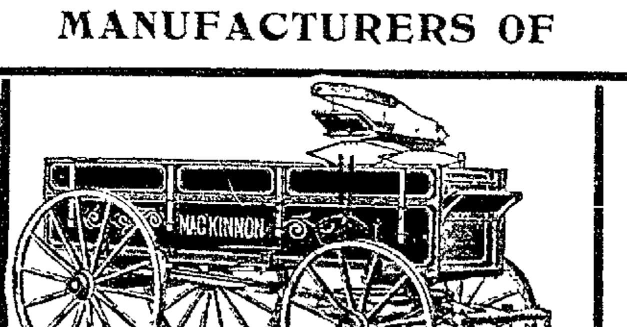

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The Wausau Record is agitating the matter of establishing a public bathouse on the river bank for the use of the small boy in bathing. It says that the police are kept busy chasing the youngsters who will persist in swimming, and it deplores the fact that they have no place to bathe, telling of the many advantages that may be gained from a good bath in the hot whether. Of course the boys ought to swim if they want to, and there is no need of the police chasing them provided they are properly clothed for the occasion. The boys should be required to use a bathing suit, and nobody cares how much they swim. Dozens of boys may be seen swimming in this city every day, and they cause the police no trouble worth mentioning, and it is a pleasure to see them splashing about in the water on a hot day.

It is reported that the Chicago & Northwestern railway company has issued an order prohibiting its train men from wearing shirtwaists. The shirtwaists may be worn, but not outside so as to get the benefit of their coolness. It seems that the shirtwaist had become quite popular among the trainmen, as they found it a means of keeping cool during the hottest weather. The ruling of the company seemes decidedly arbitrary and needlessly severe in prohibiting their employes this comfort. It certainly is not on account of the looks, for a man in a neat cool shirtwaist on a hot day is much more presentable than one with a blue uniform on that causes him to go about perspiring to an offensive degree."

For a number of years past The Chicago Tribune has kept a record of the accidents which occur in this country as a result of the annual celebration of the Fourth of July, and although the list for this year is not yet complete the statistics thus far gathered show the following results: Killed outright and deaths resulting as a consequence of injuries received on the Fourth, fifty-six; injured, 3,667; number of runaways, eighty-one; fire loss capable of being traced to causes connected with the celebration, $400,625.

The Common Council of Stevens Point is considering the feasibility of taxing the electric light and telephone poles in the city; one dollar for each pole with one cross arm and ten cents for each additional cross arm. This would mean an income of about $2500 to the city from this source. Sounds all right, but as the users of the system would eventually have to pay the tax, it seems to us as tho it would be better to spread it over all of the assessable property in the city, which would make it more equitable to all.

Colonel Vilas has been mentioned as a possible candidate for the presidency on the democratic ticket. The colonel is not a whirlwind politician of the style of some others that are looking for the nomination, but it strikes us that he would get good support from the thinking people of the country who know anything of him.

Bryan says it would be a tragedy should Cleveland be nominated for the presidency. He doesn't state what it would be if he were nominated again, but it would probably prove a comedy, like the other two times. We should prefer a little tragedy now for a change.

LaCrosse Leader and Press: the Story of forty Grand Rapids people being poisoned by eating ice cream is a good one for the young man who has one or more lady friends with an appetite for summer dishes—especially toward the end of the week.

Gun Club Scores.

The gun club held four events at their grounds on Sunday afternoon, during which some fairly good scores were made. Following are the scores:

First event—Brown 20, Mosher 20, Scott 21, F. Boles 18, Nash 19, Drumb 22, Mason 21, Church 19, W. Carey 19, Taylor 5, Conway 13, C. Boles 6.

Second event—Brown 22, Mosher 19, Scott 19, F. Boles 24, Nash 19, Drumb 23, Mason 21, Church 20, Carey 18, Taylor 16, Conway 12.

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A Marshfield Case.

Frank Jadack brought suit against John Hyland on Monday, the case being before Justice Brown, and tried before a jury. Jadack tried to recover some money that he paid for rent, but the jury could not see it his way and brought in a verdict of no cause for action and the case was dismissed. Both of the principals are from Marshfield.

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Wonderful offering in White Bed Spreads, fringed and plain at ⅓ and ½ of the regular prices, in three lots as follows:

Lot 1—Worth from $1 to $2.25 each, at **90**c each.

Lot 2—Worth from $2.25 to $3.25 each, at **$1.25** each.

Lot 3—Worth from $3.25 to $5.00 each, **$2.00** each,

Underskirts

Great clearance sale of Ladies' black mercerized Underskirts.

Ladies' $4 and $5 Petticoats, the finest ever made......**$2.50**
$2.00 to $3 Skirts........**1.50**
$1.25 to $2 Skirts...........**98**c

This is an exceptional offer and will pay you to investigate.

Carpets

Clearance of Brussel Carpet Samples, measuring from 1 yd. to 1½ yds. long; just the thing for rugs. We have rug fringe to match. About 75 to 100 of the beautiful samples. Take your choice of them while they last at **90**c each, regardless of length: many of them sold for 1.50 to 2.00 per yd.

Also about 25 or 30 pieces of Carpet, all wool and half wool, in lengths from 1 to 12 yds.; good patterns but short lengths:
All wool at per yd..........**40**c
Half wool, per yd..........**30**c

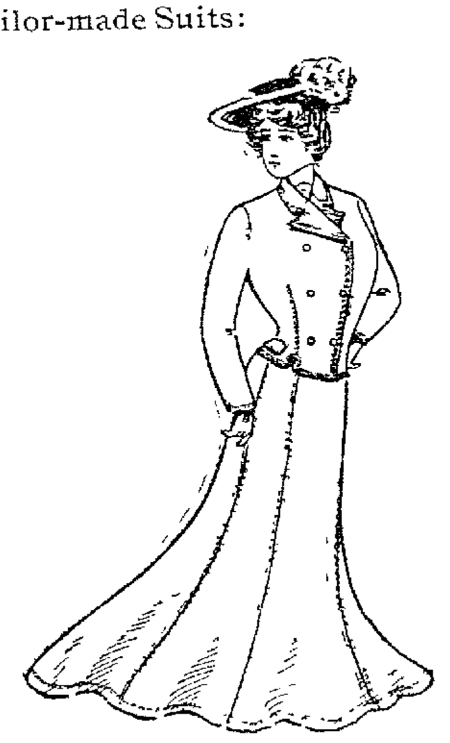
These make dandy bed room carpets.

Ladies' Belts

Clearance of Ladies' Belts:
All of our leather and velvet belts, 5oc quality, sale....**25**c

Tailor Made Suits

Clearance sale of Ladies' fine Tailor-made Suits:

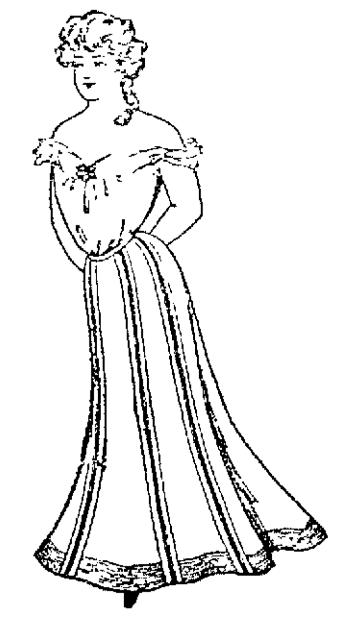


20.00 Suits for..........**$12 00**
15.00 Suits for..........**10 00**
10.00 Suits for..........**5 00**

All this spring and summer styles and the brand of Biefeld on them alone is a guarantee of being the correct styles.

Walking Skirts

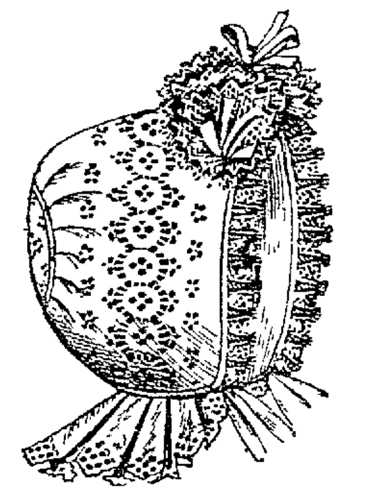
Special offering in Ladies' Walking Skirts.



5.00 to 7.50 Skirts at......**3 90**
3.00 to 4 50 Skirts at......**2 90**
A good melton, seven gored Walking Skirt, Oxford gray, at.......................**1 35**

Things for the Baby

High neck, gauze, long sleeve Vests, worth 10c, sale......**5**c



Infant's Lawn Hoods, very fancy,
50c quality................**38**c
25c quality................**15**c

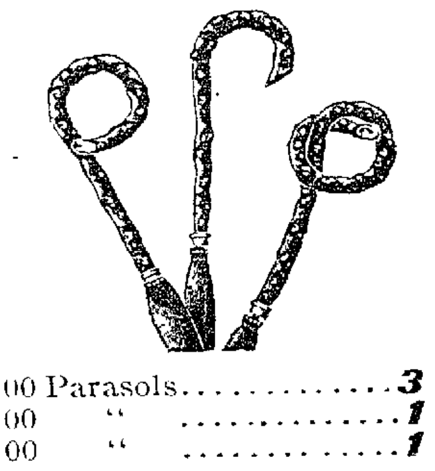
100 different styles from **5**c to **10**c each.

Infant's long white Coats, silk embroidery, 3.00 value **2 00**, 2.00 value **1 00**.

Child's Parasols, 20c to 35c grade, all go at..............**12**c,

Parasols

Clearance of Ladies' white and colored fancy Parasols, ruffled and plain.



5.00 Parasols.............**3 25**
3.00 " **1 75**
2.00 " **1 00**

All silk Parasols, black and colored, worth 2.50 at...**1 75**

Children's Caps

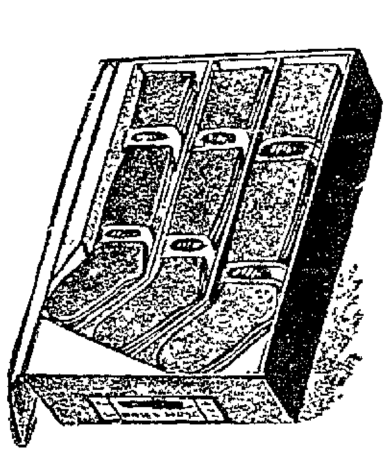
Clearance of Children's summer Caps, white and colored:
50c grade..................**37**c
25c " **19**c
A special lot of about 100 Caps at........................**5**c

Pictures

Special Picture offering; of interest to school and Sunday school teachers for home decorations. Very acceptable as Christmas gifts and the biggest bargain ever offered in the picture line in this city. We have 1,500 of these, so that all may avail themselves of special offering. These placques are 8 inches in diameter, beautiful gold frame around, colonial pictures in high colors mounted on gold mat with glass and chain and black border, making a most beautiful picture. Price for each **12**c.

Hosiery

Clearance of Ladies' Hosiery:

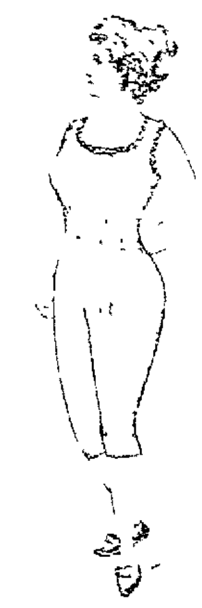


25c to 35c black lace, stripe and fancy colors; the stylish weaves all go at..................**19**c
Children's extra heavy, fast color black, 25c value, sale......**15**c
Children's black with white polka dot, sizes from 6 to 10, a regular 15c value, sale.........**10**c

Shoes

Clearance of Ladies' and Misses' Shoes:
Ladies 3.oo to 5.oo Button Shoes, sizes 2 to 4, all at per pair **39**c
5o pair of Ladies' Slippers, black and tan, 1.25 value, sale..**75**c
Child's Sandle Slippers, black and tan, latest styles, sizes 5 to 1o, 1.oo value, sale.......**65**c
Size 11 to 2................**75**c
Infant's red Sandle Slippers, 3 to 5, sale..................**40**c
1oo pair of Men's Low Shoes, Oxford ties, and Slippers, value from 1.25 to 2.5o, all to close at per pair...............**75**c

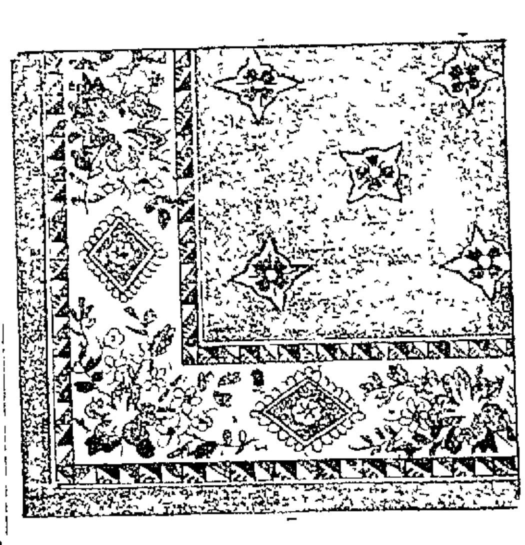
Combination Suits



Clearance of Ladies' summer Combination Suits, both long sleeve, short sleeve and no sleeve, high and low neck, as accompanying cut, at **19**c.

Lace Curtains

Clearance of Lace Curtains:



5o pair of Lace Curtains, white, 2¾ yds. long, 4o in. wide, special price per pair.....**60**c
5o pair of beautiful, white Curtains, 3½ yds. long, 51 in. wide, a regular 2.5o value, at this sale................**1.69**

Duck Hats

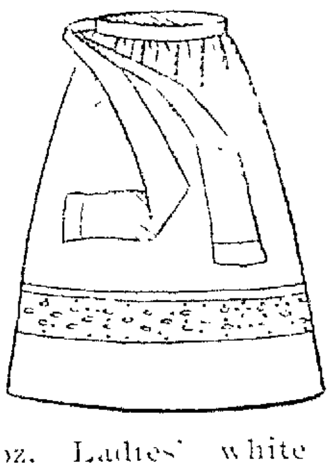
Clearance of Men's and Boys' Duck Hats:
50c value...................**25**c
25c " **15**c

Corsets

Clearance of Misses' Corset waists, slate and white:
50c value, sale..............**19**c
G. & D. Corset waists, the summer styles, 1.00 quality..**69**c
1,000 yds. of fancy Ginghams that sold for 12½c to 20c per yard, clearance **8**c
50c Wash goods, such as Lawns, Dimities, Batiste, Mulls, must all go at per yd..........**25**c
25c to 35c Summer Goods, many new, neat patterns and will gladden the heart of many shoppers, per yd..........**15**c
10 and 15c black Lawn per yd. **6**c

Aprons and Drawers

Clearance of Ladies' Aprons:



1o doz. Ladies' white lawn Aprons, as cut, also with ruffled straps over shoulder, value from 25c to 75c, sale...........**18**c
5 doz, Ladies' lace trimmed cambric drawers, 35c value, at **19**c

Notions

6½ inch black rubber combs, a 10c value, sale.............**5**c
Good Envelopes per bunch....**1**c
Forty in a box, Black Mourning Pins, per box..............**1**c
10 yd. sheets colored Shelf Paper only.......................**3**c
100 Slate Pencils, 6 in. long, **15**c
6 good Pens...................**1**c
Stocking Darners, 5c value...**3**c
3 spools O. N. T. Darning Cotton.........................**5**c
1,ooo yds. Val. Lace, 2 yds for **1**c
7 Darning Needles...........**1**c
Ladies' Linen Collars, 2 for..**5**c

25c and 30c fine Japanese Straw Matting at per yd........**20**c

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The Best Place to buy Clothing IS AT OUR STORE

TWENTIETH CENTURY

Wash Goods Section

(Second Floor.)

Our buying was our mistake and if prices will do the work we won't have a yard left by Aunust 1st.

3c Lawns	2c
5c Lawns	3c
10c Lawns	6c

Suitable for Dresses, Sacques, Camonas, Wrappers, etc., one full case of Ginghams, bought for this sale at 4½c yd

Best Calico ends, 1 to 12 yds, each 4c yd

Linen Department.

2nd Floor.

To make the sale interesting we shall sell them all at

10 per cent discount

including Napkins and everything in this line—Pure Linen Crash; etc.

60 DOZEN TURKISH TOWELS

The 25c kind at **$1.50** per dozen.

Not more than one dozen to a customer

This is lower than we can buy them today.

Carpet Specials.

ALL WOOL TWO-PLY AT

***59c** per yd*

We do this to get you acquainted with our large line of Draperies, etc., on 2nd Floor.

BIG JULY Clearing Sale!

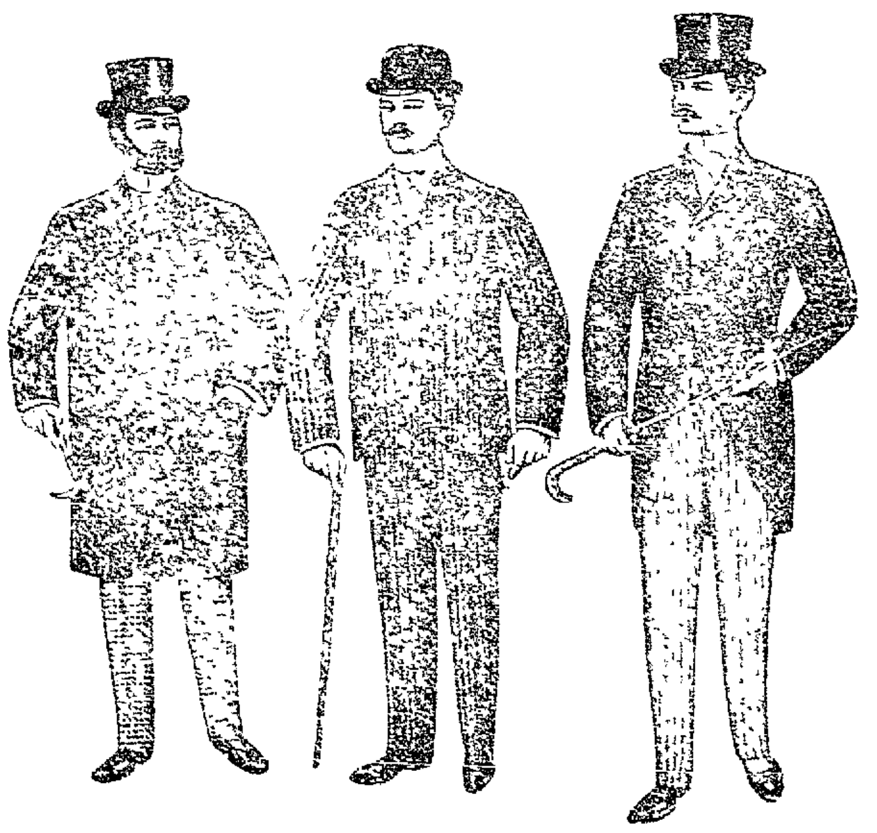
BEFORE STOCK TAKING.

If you profit by our mistake, our loss is your gain. "Irrthum ist Menschlich" says the old German adage, or it is human to err, and so far as heard from the only persons who make no mistakes are those that do nothing.

Not being of this latter sort we have bought too much in some lines and the wrong sizes in others, too expensive in others, etc., etc.

15 per cent. discount on Silk and Wool Dress Goods.

75 Men's Suits at half price



100 Boys' Suits at half price

Some of them slightly damaged, others brand new.

We never allow our stock to get low, and shall sell all new just in goods at ONE LOW PRICE TO ALL.

We shall also include in this sale many goods we haven't room to describe, such as **Straw Hats,** the 35c to $1.50 kind (little soiled) all at **10c each.** Ladies' Skirts, Suits, Ribbons, Gloves, Hose, etc. **From 10 to 25 per cent. discount.**

This sale will continue during July. Come early to get a good choice.

Umbrellas

All Styles at prices from 25c to $6.00 each.

15 per cent discount.

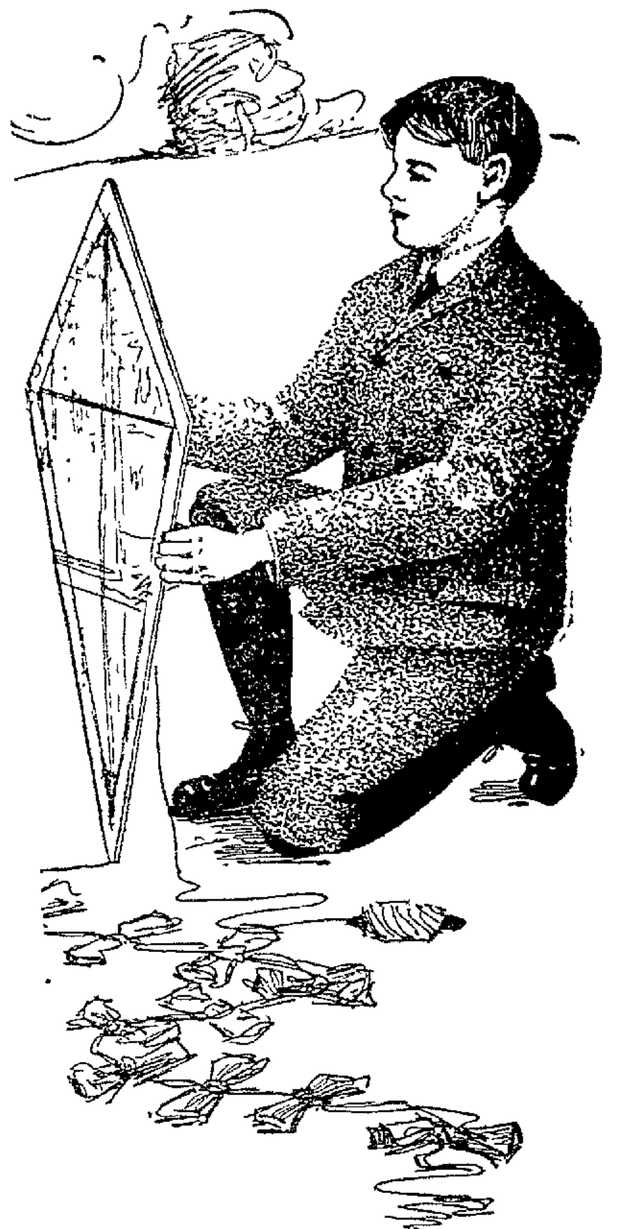
We can please you just as easy.

LACE CURTAINS.

(2nd Floor.)

Thirty styles, bought direct from the factory. We invite you to see them. They are absolutely the best for the money that we ever saw, 75c to $8 per pair. Pretty designs.

We Lead Them all IN QUALITY, FIT AND STYLE.



"TWENTIETH CENTURY"

To make room for our incoming Lace and Embroidery and Allover stocks we shall discount all prices

25c on the dollar

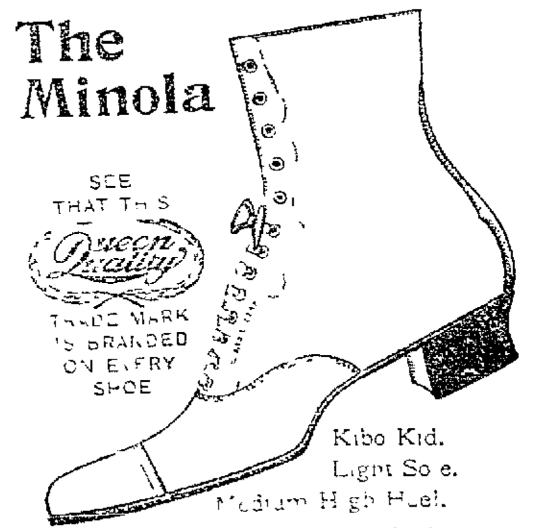
And it is admitted by all that our big line compares favorably with Milwaukee and Chicago stores.

Prices 1c to $3.00 per yd.

MUST BE SOLD.

Ladies' and Children's SHOES

The Minola


SEE THAT THIS
Queen Quality
TRADE MARK IS BRANDED ON EVERY SHOE
Kibo Kid.
Light Sole.
Medium High Heel.

Exact Reproduction of this Style Shoe.

WILL BE SOLD

100 pairs, was from $1 to $2, at per pair.....**75c**

100 pairs Child's Shoes, was 50 to 75c, at....**35c**

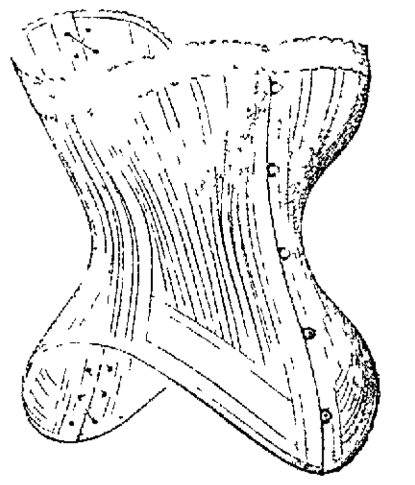
These will be arranged on 1st Floor.

HELP YOURSELF.

Men's Shoes from ¾ to ½ price. Many good things—just happen to be odd pairs, etc. See for yourself.

10 doz Shirt Waists, was 50c to $1.50 now each.....**39c**

50 Corsets, was 50c, 75c and $1.00, now each.....**39c**



Splendid Line of W. B. & Loomer's Always in Stock.

Curtain Rods, 54 in. extension.....8c

We take measure for Shades all widths and hang for same price anywhere in the city.

Market Prices.

The following are the market prices of produce in the city of Grand Rapids corrected on the day of publication:

Potatoes, ₩ bushel New 75 to $1, Old 25 to 40c	
Wheat, No. 2, ₩ bushel	65
Rye, ₩ bushel	.43
Oats, ℔ bushel	.38
Corn, shelled, ₩ 100 lbs	.90
Hay, marsh, ₩ ton	5.00
Hay, timothy, ₩ ton	7.00
Eggs, ₩ dozen	.15
Butter, ₩ lb	.12 @ .20
Beans, ₩ bushel	1.75 @ 2 00
Peas, ℔ bushel	.70
Onions, ₩ bushel	.75
Beef, live, ₩ 100 lbs	$2.00 @ 3.50
Beef, dressed, ₩ 100 lbs	$5.00 @ 6.00
Pork, live	5 00
Pork, dressed	7 00
Veal, live, ₩ ℔	.04
Veal, dressed, ₩ ℔	.6 @ .07
Chickens, live, ₩ ℔	@ .9
Chickens, dressed, ₩ ℔	@ .12
Turkeys, live, ₩ ℔	.8
Turkeys, dressed, ₩ ℔	.13 @ .15
Flour, patent, ₩ bbl	4.50
Feed, ₩ ton	23.00
Middlings, ₩ ton	16 50
Bran, ₩ ton	16 00
Bolted Corn Meal, bbl	3.50
Lard, ℔	.12
Whole Hams, ℔	.15
Mess Pork, bbl	16.'0

Warning.

If you have kidney or bladder trouble and do not use Foley's Kidney Cure, you will have only yourself to blame for results, as it positively cures all forms of kidney and bladder diseases.

NEW SHOES!

I have just unpacked a large consignment of the very latest in footwear. Here are some that I have:

Dr. Reed's Cushion sole shoe for sore feet. If your feet bother you, try a pair of these.

J. P. Smith Stag Shoe,

$3, $3.50 and $4

Ladies Fine Turned Oxfords, the Julia Marlowe. You know all about the Julia Marlowe.

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PRESS PABULUM.

The Function of Nature Books.

Mabel Osgood Wright, author of many excellent volumes on birds, contributes the April Critic an article along much the same lines as those followed by John Burroughs in his recent essay in the Atlantic. Mrs. Wright also has something to say against the writers of incredible animal stories, dubbing them "the school of the long bow," but she is inclined to take a philosophical view of these offenders.

She thinks there is no use in worrying over the strict credibility of nature books, since the worthless ones may be trusted to disappear and the good ones to survive. The essential thing is that people should be stimulated to go out into the fields and wood and to study the secrets of nature for themselves. So let the nature books come—good, bad and indifferent—if only they induce people to get away from paved streets and the wilderness of chimney pots, and to feel "one impulse from a vernal wood."

This would be well enough if one could believe that the "long bow" writers really influenced people to go to the field, forest and brookside. It is more likely, however, that those who care for sensational nature books do not care for nature. The remarkable demand for books about outdoor subjects which has marked the last decade is due to the intensity of our business life rather than to any writers, good or bad. The books are the result of the demand rather than the cause of it. The nature movement is a reaction on the part of weary brains and bodies, fagged with too much indoor work. Some tired men and women go out under the sky and "list to nature's teachings," while others let this healthy impulse carry them no farther than the reading of books that talk about the pure air which they ought to be breathing.

The only nature book that is of real value is the one that lures you out of doors, and the book that substitutes fables for truth is not of the kind to do this.—Chicago Record Herald.

Who Smiles in the Rain.

The coward may smile
When there's sun all the while—
It's braver to smile in the rain.
The weakest may joy
When there's naught to annoy—
He's stronger who smiles through his pain.
And then when there's sun, when there's bird song and breeze,
When gloom's put to route and discouragement flees,
What need has the world
Of the mouth corners curled
In the cherriest smiles, when the fields and trees
Are smiling so broadly that nobody sees
The wee bit of brightness your giving the while?
But days when its rainy there's need for your smile.

The weakling may smile
When there's brightness the while—
It's better to smile when there's rain.
The gloomster may joy
When there's naught to annoy—
He's brave who can laugh thru his pain
When all the wide world is full of song
That birds sing and brooklets go warbling along.
With heart light as chaff
All the earth seems to laugh—
The sunny day courage says not that you are
Thru hearty good cheer one could never call wrong—
But oh! when the day is all haggard and gray
And Nature weeps gloomily, sobbing away—
Then laugh in the hope of the sweet after-while!
On days when it's rainy there's need for your smile.
—S. W. Gillilan, in Baltimore America.

The sweetest season of all the year,
Is the time when the swallows and spring are here.
And the heart's-ease blossoms for hearts delight,
Bursts forth from green to white.
Our lives are little, but our times are great
We come, we see, we linger, and we pass;
Weave but a single thread in web of state,
Or give the field a single spear of grass.
We are too often like a boyish class,
Where each one stumbles thru his dozen lines
And looks bewildered at the stubborn mass
Of foreign words and intricate designs.—
But lo! when all is done, thru all an Iliad shines.— Rossiter Johnson.

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WISCONSIN CENTRAL LINES.

	South Bound.		North Bound	
	A. M.	P. M.	A. M.	P. M
Marshfield	7:30	2 20	10:45	6.05
Arpin	7:55	2:45	10:20	5:35
Vesper	8:07	2.57	10:08	5:23
Grand Rapids	8:30	3.20	9:45	5.05
Port Edwards	8:40	3.30	9:35	4:55
Nekoosa	8:50	3:40	9:25	4:45
		A. M.	P. M.	
Minneapolis		7:25	5:35	
St. Paul		8:00	5:00	
Eau Claire		11:00	2.00	9:20
Chippewa Falls		11:30	1:50	8:50
		P. M.	A. M.	
Marshfield		2:11	10:45	6.05
Grand Rapids		3:20	9.45	5.05
			P. M.	A. M.
Ashland			4:30	7:45
			A. M.	
Duluth			11:15	11:15

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NORTHWESTERN LINE.

	South	Bound	North	Boun
	P M	P M	P M	A M
Chicago ...Ar	1:15	5:55	3 00	
Milwaukee ...Ar	10:45	3 35	5 15	7:55
Fond du Lac ...Lv	9.05	1:35	6:45	10.03
		A M		
Red Granite Jct....Ar		11 80		10.00
Spring Lake ... Lv		11.15		10:14
Red Granite ...Lv		10:55		10.35
		P M		
Red Granite Jct . Ar	6:50	11.36	8.32	11:50
Wautoma ...Lv	6.38	11:24	8:45	12.53
Wild Rose ...Lv	6:22	11.16	9.05	12:10
Almond ...Lv	6:00	10:50	9.27	12.41
Bancroft ...Lv	5.38	10:38	9:40	12:51
Kelner ...Lv	5:14	10.14	10.05	1.17
Grand Rapids ...Lv	5.15	10:00	10:05	1:32
Vesper ...Lv	......	9:32	...	1:55
Arpin ...Lv	......	9:17	...	2:10
Marshfield ...Lv	......	8:45	...	2:45

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TRAINS SOUTH.

No. 2, Passenger, daily .... 10 25 P. M
No. 6, daily except Sunday.. 12 37 P. M
No. 92, way fr't daily except Sun.... 1.15 P. M

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No. 3, arrive 9:30 P. M
No. 9 Freight leave 4:00 A. M
No. 7, arrive 7:30 P. M
No. 4 Passenger going East leave 6.40 A. M
No. 2 leave 2.12 P. M
No. 8 Freight leave 5.00 A. M
No. 10, arrive 6.15 P. M
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No. 14. 5 Room house and lot, near furniture factory, west side.
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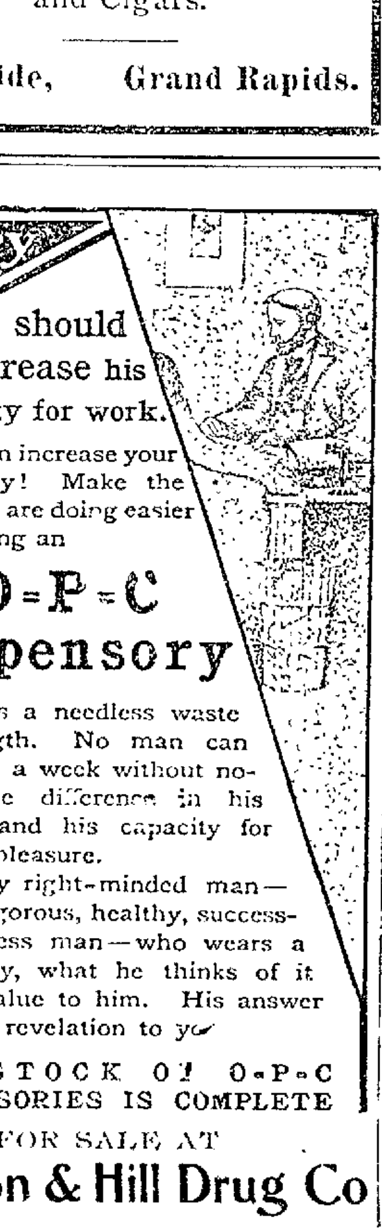

PAYING TELLERS' ERRORS.

Those Officials Are Usually Ready to Rectify Mistakes.

A bank officer, referring in a recent address to the responsibility of paying tellers, declares that the idea that such officials were rarely willing to rectify mistakes had little basis in fact. He added: "How is it that there exists in the minds of many the idea that paying tellers are inclined to resent even the suggestion that they make errors in counting money? I have never known one who made the slightest claim to infallibility. Who has not heard the ancient and oft told story of a teller who was asked by a person for whom he has cashed a check if he had not made a mistake? As the narrative usually runs the self satisfied money counter behind the desk is inclined to become indignant and replies in a pompous and abrupt manner that he never makes mistakes. The considerate party then states that the amount paid him exceeded that named in the check, but the teller still maintains that there can be no error either way, as he never makes mistakes.

"Where is the teller who upon being told he had made an error would fail to politely inquire as to the nature of the same? The inference is that tellers are possessed of so much vanity and conceit that they lose the amount said to be overpaid rather than acknowledge an error. How unlikely and ridiculous!"—New York Post.

Justus von Liebig.

Von Liebig was skillful in correcting popular delusions on scientific subjects. A notable example of this may be found in the overthrow of the once much discussed theory of "spontaneous combustion," a comparatively modern error, dating, it seems, only from the year 1725, but which persisted long after Lavoisier had explained the real nature of fire, which was from time to time put forward with success in the defense of persons on trial for murder and received its last support from Charles Dickens. His success in this direction throws a pleasant light on the progress of civilization. One wonders what would have been the fate of Von Liebig had he opposed himself to such an error in the sixteenth century when Kepler could only save his mother from going to the stake for witchcraft by satisfying her judges that she possessed none of the signs essential to a witch. In those days Kepler did not dare to say that there were no such things as witches.—W. A. Shenstone in Cornhill Magazine.

Phrenology.

Phrenology is usually thought to have been first expounded by Gall and Spurzheim and to be a comparatively modern so called "science." But it can be traced back to the sixteenth century at least, for in a book published at that time by "Mayster Jherome of Bruynswicke" is a profile of a head on which are most distinctly marked phrenological attributes. "Imaginativa" occupies the place now given on the charts to "ideality;" "fantasia" takes the place of the modern "marvelousness," "estimantia" of "constructiveness," while "cogitantia" is given instead of "hope." The author states that the brain hath cells or chambers, and each cell contains a part of the understanding, and that these parts may be expressly seen in the figure of the head. Phrenologists can at least disclaim against their beliefs being newfangled.—London Chronicle.

Hat Etiquette.

Tipping the hat is a rare thing among men when there are no women around. A few fine old fellows cherish the habit of tipping to each other and to strangers when introduced, but ordinarily the hand never touches the brim. In business offices there is no sort of etiquette. Men in the sweep and rush of business have no time to give thought to hats. But certain decencies should prevail. On entering a private office look at the head of the occupant. If he has his hat on, keep yours on; if his hat is off, remove yours. The removal of your hat is a compliment and a courtesy and does not indicate that you are inferior or subservient.—New York Press.

Her Age.

"Madam," replied the judge sternly, "you must answer the question. What is your age?"

"I was born the same year your honor was. That would make me about"—

"It isn't necessary to go into particulars," interposed the judge stiffly. "Gentlemen, have you any further use for the witness? You may stand aside, madam."

A Typographical Error.

"I've come," said the visitor, "to see why you called me a political jobber in your paper today."

"I regret that error of the types quite as much as you," replied the editor.

"Ah! Then you didn't mean to call me that?"

"No, sir. I wrote 'robber' very distinctly."—Philadelphia Press.

Rejoicing With Her.

Minnie—Well, I'm glad Kit Spurlong is going to be married at last.

Lutie—The tone of your voice doesn't indicate it.

Minnie—But I am. When the list of marriage licenses is published everybody will find out she's thirty-seven years old.—Chicago Tribune.

Absent Minded.

"Butterfly is awfully absent minded."

"What is his latest?"

"He was driving a nail and hammered his thumb. He howled and put the nail in his mouth and tried to fling his thumb on the floor."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

PUSHING "KID" STARK TO JUSTICE

[Original.]

"Kid" Stark was twenty-five, his wife forty, when they bought the Peach Orchard farm. The wife had money.

Mrs. Stark seemed to have something of a roving disposition, while her husband was as fond of quiet as an old man. She would go away, remaining absent sometimes for a few weeks, sometimes a few months. She had a head for business and the faculty of keeping her affairs to herself. When she returned it was noticed at the bank where she kept an account that she usually had money to deposit.

One evening after dark Stark drove his wife to the station, and when he returned several men who had called at the farm to win his vote for a coming election reported that he was very much depressed. Indeed they found it impossible to get his attention to the matter about which they had called.

When four months passed and Mrs. Stark did not return the wagging tongues started in for a clatter, which grew louder and louder, then subsided into mysterious whisperings. A year passed and no return of the wanderer. Two years after Mrs. Stark's departure Stark, who had not touched any money deposited in his wife's name, presented a check bearing her signature for $1,000. But the bank officials, who had long been suspicious that he had murdered his wife and believed that he would not be satisfied till he had appropriated all her funds, scrutinized the check and pronounced it a forgery. Stark was arrested for the crime. Since there was no evidence of murder, that charge could not be added.

When it came to trial an expert pronounced Mrs. Stark's signature a forgery. The body of the check was in Stark's handwriting. The expert on cross examination explained to the court that there were certain letters in the signature which were made very differently by Stark and his wife, the expert stating that Stark in trying to change the mode of making these letters had made a lamentable failure. Stark was convicted, and, since everybody believed that he had killed his wife, the judge gave him a sentence of twenty years' imprisonment.

There were many people in Brownville—those of the wagging tongues—who were very much chagrined that Stark was not prosecuted for murder. These persons could not understand why when all the correlative circumstances pointed to murder still there was not tangible evidence necessary for conviction. They hounded the prosecuting attorney till he went to work with a will, secured the depositions of the men who had seen Stark on the evening of his wife's departure, found some garments belonging to Mrs. Stark buried on the place, and on this framed a theory for prosecution, and had Stark taken from jail to be tried for murder.

By this time it was plain to every one not only that Stark had murdered his wife, but that there was very good evidence at hand to prove it. There were people who had been as obstinate with regard to Stark's innocence as the wagging tongues had been in maintaining his guilt. These people now gave up in the face of the evidence and long before the trial public opinion had pronounced him guilty. Everything conspired to bring him to justice. He had been convicted of forging his wife's name to get her money, the circumstantial evidence all pointed to her murder, the prosecuting attorney had every inducement to convict him, the police were desirous of closing the mystery and stopping the murmurings under which they had so long suffered for not solving it.

The prosecuting attorney proved by the men who had visited Stark on the evening of Mrs. Stark's disappearance that he had acted as if he had just committed a murder. The exhumed clothing was proved by competent witnesses to have been that worn by Mrs. Stark when she disappeared. These were the principal circumstances proving Stark's guilt, though there were many minor ones. The prosecuting attorney made a masterly effort, in which he scathingly referred to the prisoner having married this thrifty woman to get her money and had murdered her in order to get it the quicker. The prisoner sat with a dazed look on his face that experienced court officials pronounced the same as that universally worn by those guilty of a great crime. The prosecuting attorney was holding the court spellbound by a picture of Stark luring his poor but trusting wife under cover of the darkness to some isolated spot and had lowered his voice with the words, "And drove it to the hilt," when there was a commotion at the door, and a woman pushed her way forward with every evidence of excitement. She was Mrs. Stark. Without a word she plunged for the prisoner, took him in her arms, and his head fell on her shoulder in a dead faint.

Mrs. Stark had gone abroad on a business venture. She had written her husband one letter, which had miscarried, then had entered a barbarous country, where she was detained on a false charge with a view to appropriating considerable funds she had with her. Then she had the bad luck to be shipwrecked and was obliged to sail around the globe before getting home. The check she had signed in blank on the evening of her departure in case of need and in a great hurry. The clothes had been buried to be deodorized from the perfume of a skunk.

The Starks lived happily together till Mrs. Stark died, after which her husband was inconsolable and in spite of being still a young man with plenty of means never married again.

BESSIE L. LANE.

SUGAR BEET SEED.

The Desirability of a Single Germ Seed Ball.

In February last I had the honor to suggest to the officials of the department of agriculture the idea of producing single germ beet balls as one means of materially reducing the necessary quantity of seed, eliminating the labor of thinning and bunching beets and thereby lowering the cost of producing sugar from beet roots.

In America our inventive genius has largely eliminated hand work in both field and factory, and the most serious obstacle to sugar beet culture is the hand work of thinning the beets after they are planted and of topping them when they are plowed out. The work of perfecting a successful pulling and topping machine to do away with hand labor and at the same time save $5 to $8 per acre has reached the point where perfect success can be confidently expected within a few years. To remove the necessity for thinning would not only save a like amount in labor, but would greatly increase, if not double, the tonnage by removing one of the main causes of low tonnage—namely, the injury inflicted on the remaining roots by the removal of the superfluous ones.

Investigations and experiments have already been started by the department of agriculture, and it is hoped that the state experiment stations may be led to undertake similar lines of investigation. The first questions involved have to do with the selection of single germ seed already in existence and then the planting and growing of these seeds to get this characteristic fixed. After this is accomplished of course it will be necessary to follow all of the intricacies of sugar content, size, etc. All of this will take time, and it will undoubtedly require several years before practical results can be attained.

Multiple Germs and Hand Thinning.

No other work has such an influence on the tonnage as that of thinning. It is the most expensive and laborious work attached to the culture of sugar beets, and to attain the best results it must be most carefully done at the right time. This careful labor is necessitated by the peculiar character of the beet seed, which, unlike an ordinary germ seed, is really a combination of from one to six seeds, each entirely separate and disconnected from the others, but all incased in what is called a "beet ball," an irregular shaped structure of brittle woody matter about as large as a French pea. The seeds themselves form but a mere fraction of the ball, the great abundance of woody matter surrounding them being provided by nature to aid the germs themselves in various ways. Soaked in water, the porous beet ball will absorb 65 per cent of its weight in moisture in twenty four hours and when planted in damp ground rapidly draws the moisture to it.—Truman G. Palmer in Report on Progress of Beet Sugar Industry.

One Must "Step Lively" In Haying.

The principal risk is with clover hay. If cut in June the weather is so fickle and showery that the hay is in danger of being wet and badly damaged in the swath, windrow or low cock. Our way is to watch the barometer and the winds and cut about 2 to 4 p. m., when the weather promises to be fair for forty-eight hours, ted before sundown, ted twice more before noon next day, rake by 3 p. m. and cock it in tall, slim cocks or even draw it right to the barn if it is dry enough. Tedding with a good one horse or two horse tedder costs very little, and three or even four teddings may fit the clover for the barn in twenty-four hours from cutting and save the fuss of cocking and opening and the danger of drenching. One should be alive in haying time.—Ohio Farmer.

Ideal Strawberry Cultivation.

The ideal method of cultivating strawberries, according to one authority, is to have the land at all times in about the condition it would be if worked with a garden rake, and this can only be secured when tools with narrow teeth are used. If the soil is inclined to bake it will often be advisable to break the crust that forms about the plants after a rain, and during the season it should not be neglected whenever necessary to keep down the weeds and prevent the formation of a crust. As a substitute for the hoe a light potato hook is recommended, as this can be used to work closely about the plants without danger of injuring them and will leave the surface in better condition than the hoe.

Apples In Montana.

Such varieties of apples as King of Thompkins County, Rome Beauty, Ben Davis, McIntosh Red, Bethel, Delaware Red, Alexander, Wealthy, Yellow Transparent and many other common market apples are grown to perfection in the bitterroot and plains country of Montana.

One Thing and Another.

After experiment and investigation into the use of branding fluid the Arizona experiment station comes to the conclusion that the hot iron still gives most satisfactory results.

If trees and plants are dormant or nearly so when planted they may be set successfully as late as July if the irrigation facilities are all right, says Denver Field and Farm.

Flax and hemp are said to thrive well under irrigation.

"Strong gumbo or alkaline soils should not be planted to orchard trees nor soils underlaid near the surface with hardpan," advises the Montana experiment station.

"The Duty of Water In Montana" is the second of a series of farmers' bulletins on irrigation topics issued by the experiment station of the state.

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SHORT LOCALS

—Wright the barber, 315 Cran. St.

—Girls Wanted—Inquire at the Witter House.

Mrs. Eugene Sparks of the east side is reported seriously ill.

D. D. Conway went to Madison yesterday on legal business.

Charles Podawiltz spent Sunday with friends in Neillsville.

G. C. Hyde of Nekoosa was a visitor in the city on Friday evening.

A. E. Germer of Dexterville transacted business in the city on Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Possley of Biron spent Sunday with friends in Green Bay.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Harvey returned on Friday from their wedding tour.

Mrs. A. E. Keenan of Dexterville was in the city on Tuesday doing some shopping.

Jesse Hopgood and Geo. LeBreche attended the Saenger picnic at Marshfield on Sunday.

The Big Four will leave Monday for a few weeks tour around the surrounding country.

Miss Carrie Briere entertained a number of her friends at a thimble party Friday afternoon.

Guy Wood returned on Friday from the east, having been absent the past winter attending school.

Attorney Frank Bump of Wausau transacted legal business in the city on Thursday and Friday.

F. Beadle, the all around handy man, was a visitor in Stevens Point the fore part of the week.

Emil M. Doerr of Watertown is in the city the guest of his sister, Mrs. Gus Zillmer of the south side.

Attorney George L. Williams of Milwaukee was in the city the fore part of the week on business.

G. W. Brown, chairman of the county board, was a business visitor at the court house on Monday.

Dan Ellis and bride returned from Kaukauna last week and will make their home in this city with Dan Baily.

I. E. Cooley has resigned his position as foreman of the Leader office. He is succeeded by Mr. Williams of Nekoosa.

Miss Mayme Daly entertained a number of guests on Thursday evening in honor of her friend, Miss Shea of Merrill.

John Wheir, who has been at Merrill where he was in the employ of Dan McKercher, returned to this city on Saturday.

Al Menier returned on Monday from Watertown. Mrs. Menier, who had been visiting her people there, also returned home.

Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Cameron of Milwaukee are in the city, the guests of Mrs. Cameron's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Tennant.

Andrew King purchased two lots on the east side of John A. Gaynor last week and expects to build a residence thereon this fall.

Mrs. Charles Ratelle of Loyal is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Dudley, and other relatives in this city.

Mrs. Solon Sutliff of Woodboro, who has been visiting her relatives in this city for some time past, returned home on Tuesday.

—W. A. Dawes has put in a large stock of shoe taps to sell at whole sale. Stores handling the same, please take notice.

James Carrington, who has been living at Loyal, has removed his family to this city and expects to make his home here.

Miss Marie Labrot returned to her home on Thursday from Shawano where she had been the past two weeks visiting her brother.

Prof. Alex Zenier of Appleton was in the city for a few days last week, visiting his friends and the scenes of of his younger days.

Joe Corriveau returned on Friday night from San Francisco where he had been getting out a book for the G. A. R. encampment.

W. J. Conway, Arthur G. Miller and C. S. Whittlesey left on Tuesday for Ashland to attend the state convention of Elks in that city.

Arthur Pepin, who is employed in a drug store at Marshfield, came down Saturday and visited with his mother until Monday afternoon.

Miss Aurelia Bandelin returned home on Monday from a month's visit in Madison, Milwaukee, and other points of the state.

Andrew King was in Sherry the past week where he installed an assembly of twenty members of the National Fraternal League.

This is "the good old summer time," and if "she holds your hand and you hold her's" the probablity is that both hands will be moist and sticky.

George Compton, who has been at Ashton, Iowa, for some time past, visited friends and relatives in the city several days the past week.

John Conway of Orient, S. D., arrived in the city last week and has been visiting his mother and other relatives in the city for several days.

Henry Letendre, one of the pioneer settlers of Wood county who lives in the town of Port Edwards was a pleasant caller at this office on Thursday.

Mrs. C. H. Brown is spending two months in the east expecting to visit at Boston, Portland Me., New York and other places familiar to her early life.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank A. Cady spent several days in Milwaukee the past week. Emil Cady is at Kilbourn, visiting his grandfather for a few weeks.

Peter McCamley returned on Saturday from Mt. Clemens, where he had been taking treatment for rheumatism. He reports himself greatly improved.

Miss Mabel Hamilton has returned from Sheboygan where she has been teaching in the city schools the past year. Miss Hamilton will teach here the coming term.

—Go to W. A. Dawes for your new shoes and repairing, and have the Eureka sole protector inserted in the soles they will wear as long again. No extra charge.

George Booth of Marshfield was in the city the latter part of last week engaged in shipping out some lumber from the yards of the Grand Rapids lumber company.

Mr. and Mrs. V. X. Landry have taken charge of the boarding house on the west side formerly run by Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Stevens and will conduct the same.

Ed. Persohn, Aug. C. Scott. Ernest Turbin, Burt Brown, Clarence Baldwin and Will Young were initiated into the mysteries of the Eagles on Thursday evening.

E. W. Lawler of Shiocton has purchased the store and saloon property of Frank Nowaratzky near the Green Bay & Western depot and will conduct the place hereafter.

Blue berries are ripe in this section and they have been coming in quite plentifully during the past week. The quality is first class and quite a number are being shipped.

Maltais & Demers have purchased a building on the Menier property west of the Central depot and fixed it up for a saloon. The place has been christened the Pink Front.

A dispatch from Babcock says that the town hall at Lindsey was struck by lightning on Friday and badly damaged. The building was occupied by a family but nobody was hurt.

Conductor H. L. Bartholomew was taken quite sick on Saturday while on his run between this city and Sheboygan. He returned home the same day, and has since recovered sufficiently to be about.

An Appleton woman has lost all her hair, is totally deaf, and has been rendered nearly insane by the use of a preparation she bought from a traveling woman peddler to restore gray hair to its natural color.

County Judge W. J. Conway went to Marshfield on Saturday, being called there to conduct the examination of Mrs. L. Hartl for insanity. The woman was found to be quite bad and was sent to the asylum at Oshkosh.

Jeffrey Trudell moved into a new house on Factory street last week which he recently had completed. The building contains eight rooms and is a very neat residence. Nickolas White did the carpenter work on the place.

$26.75 to Baltimore, Md. and return via C. M. & St. P. Ry. for the Annual Meeting Grand Lodge Benevolent Protective Order of Elks. Dates of sale July 17th and 18th. For routes extension of tickets etc. please call on ticket agent.

The Roddis Veneer company of Marshfield has purchased the saw mill at Arpin from the John Arpin Lumber company, and the structure is being removed to Park Falls to cut the timber recently acquired by the Roddis company.

John Hinka, a twelve year old boy of Stevens Point, died of lockjaw on Sunday as the result of an accident received on the Fourth. He was injured on the hand by the discharge of a firecracker and nothing much was thought of the matter at the time.

Invitations are out announcing the marriage of Hans M. Carlson to Miss Emma Derrick, the event to occur on the 23d instant at the Catholic parsonage in this city. Miss Derrick is the daughter of Matt Derrick and Mr. Carlson is employed at the St. Paul depot as baggageman.

During the month of June the members of the Wisconsin Valley Lumbermen's association who reported to the secretary, shipped out a larger amount of lumber than during any previous month in the history of the association, with one exception, July, 1901.—Mississippi Valley Lumbermen

While at Marshfield Sunday we happened to run onto our old friend Stovey Norton. Stovey is looking prosperous and at present has a position with the Marshfield Brewery looking after the empties. He says he will be in Grand Rapids again this fall to look after the stove business.

Here is an obituary printed in a Kansas paper: "She reared nine children. She darned 10,000 socks. She cooked 100,000 meals. She washed 1,000,000 dishes. She died and went to heaven." There shouldn't be any doubt about the last part of her experience and no doubt the change was welcome.

E. W. Ring, who has been in Portland, Oregon, and other places in the west for some weeks past, returned here on Thursday. Mr. Ring expects to leave about the 20th for the west with the intention of making his home there permanently. He has invested largely in real estate and timber lands in Oregon.

F. J. Boston of Stevens Point was in the city on Friday doing some advertising for the Stevens Point Street fair which occurs from the 20th to the 25th of July. Mr. Boston states that they are preparing for a grand time on the days mentioned and as the railroads will give a rate of a fare and a third to the pleasure seekers, there is no doubt but they will have a large crowd.

C. D. Kipp, of Black River Falls, who is well known in this city, has been promoted to the position of district manager in the Prudential insurance company, and will soon remove to Springfield, Ill., to take charge of his work. Mr. Kipp was started in just about a year ago by W. H. Carey of this city as an agent for the company and the fact that he has so rapidly advanced in the business is evidence of his exceptional ability. His teritory will consist of central Illinois.

BRIEF CITY ITEMS

A Physical Wreck.—Louis Vanderlois, a brick mason working for the Consolidated people, was brought before Justice Brown on Saturday to answer to a charge of drunkenness. Vanderlois is a good workman and had been all right until about the Fourth of July, when he got on a spree and has been going since. When brought into court he was in a miserable condition, apparently on the verge of delirium tremens, and Mr. Brown called a physician to prescribe for him before going on with the trial. Several times Vanderlois walked up to the Judge's table and laying down a nickle, called for a glass of whiskey. He was given five days in jail in which to sober up.

Attempted Burglary.—On Wednesday night of last week when D. M. Huntington entered his store about 10:30 o'clock, he heard some person or persons making their escape from the back. He could not see who it was and when he came to look about there was nothing missing, so it was evident that they had been in the store but a short time. Mr. Huntington says that from the method of entry and exit it was evident that the parties were familiar with the place, and he warns future visitors who call after hours to look out for a load of fine shot at close range.

A Versatile Offender. — Frank Navidowski was brought before Justice Cooper on Monday and pleaded guilty to the charge of assault and battery, paying a fine and costs amounting to $7 34. The complaining witness was Frank Skolaski. The Saturday previous Navidowski was arrested on a charge of bastardy, the complaining witness being Agnes Priess. This case was adjourned until Oct, 15th, with bonds fixed at $500.

For Flood Sufferers.—The Lady Maccabees held a social at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Thompson on Friday afternoon and evening and cleaned up a very respectable sum in behalf of the object in view. The rain spoiled it so that the entertainment had to be held inside, but there was a fairly good crowd in attendance.

Minor Accidents.—E. K. Griffith had the great toe of his right foot crushed on Monday while at work for the Consolidated people, with the result that he will be incapacitated for a time. Leonard Slusser dropped a heavy piece of jagged rock on his foot the same day and severed an artery in the member.

An Independent District.—Marshfield at the last annual school meeting held in that city on July 6th, decided to make that city an independent superintendency district. J. B. Border, who has been principal of schools there for a number of years, was elected city superintendent.

Won at Plainfield.—The local baseball team went to Plainfield on Sunday and won a game there by a score of 4 to 5. The boys report that they were behind until near the end of the game when they braced up and run in four scores, winning the game.

A Fine Band.—The Journal Newsboy band arrived in the city this morning and if the music they have furnished on the streets is any criterion of what they will do at their concert, it will be well worth attending.

Excursion to Ashland.—The Wisconsin Central company will run an excursion to Ashland next Sunday, $3 00 for the round trip. The train will leave here at 5:05 Saturday night.

—Horlicks malted milk drinks at Church's fountain. Try them.

WANT COLUMN.

ADVERTISEMENTS will be published in this column at the rate of 5 cents per line; no ad taken for less than 10 cents. If you want to buy, sell or trade anything, try the want column.

LOST—A gold locket, set with brilliants, name "Laura" engraved on back. Return to Miss Laura Provest, Rudolph, and receive reward.

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WANTED.—Waitresses. Best wages paid. Hotel Blodgett, Marshfield, Wis.

CANVASSER WANTED.—A golden opportunity for a lady canvasser to secure a few months' work in this city. one willing to work can make $5 a day and better. None but a hustler need apply. Tribune office.

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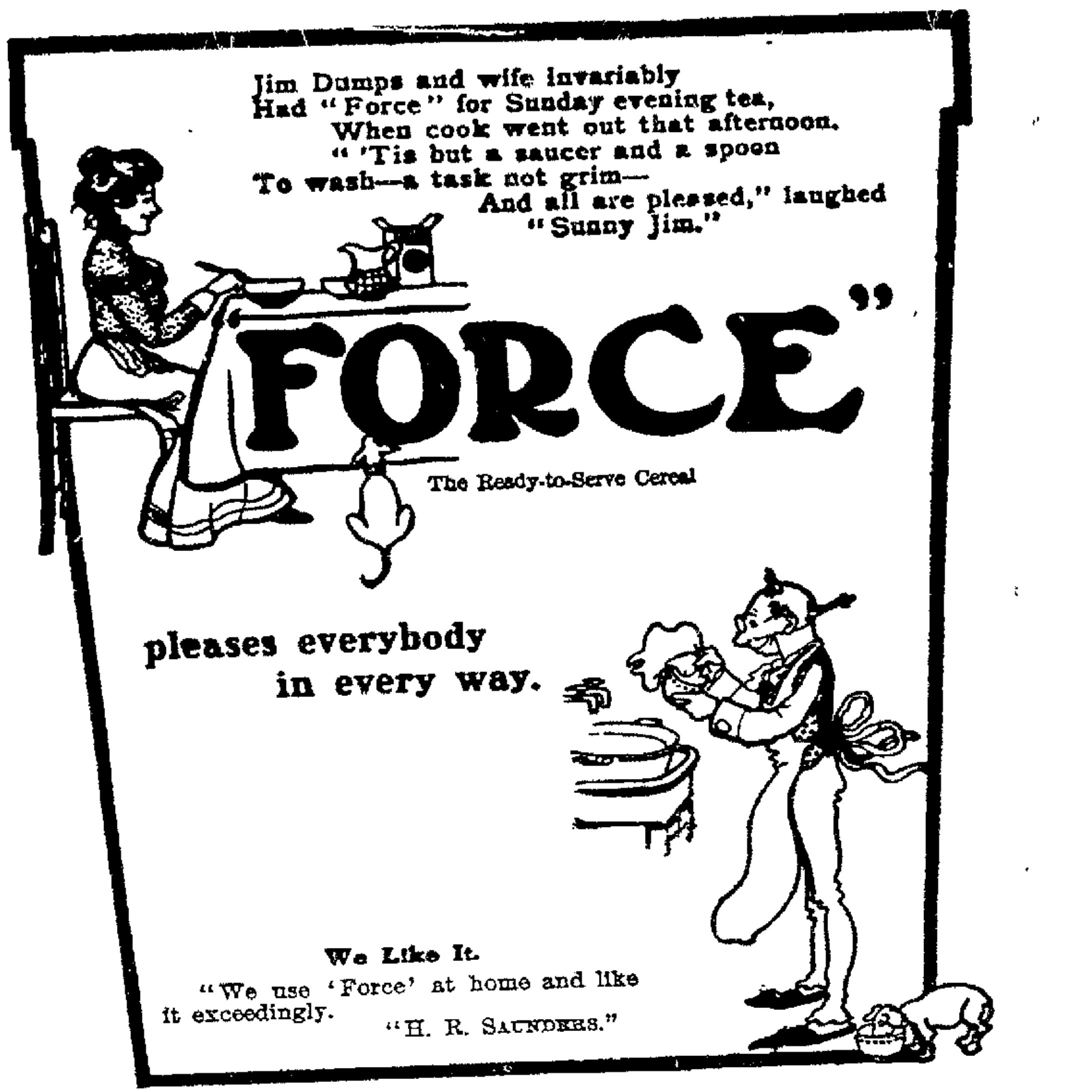

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"Don't wait for extraordinary opportunities; seize common occasions and make them great.

"A great opportunity will only make you ridiculous unless you are prepared for it.

"Don't brood over the past nor dream of the future; but seize the instant, and get your lesson from the hour.

"The way to secure better advantages is to make diligent use of those you have. Men are always disposed to help those who earnestly strive to help themselves. 'The hand of the diligent maketh rich.' "—Eastman Journal.

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Notice of Application.

Wood County Court—In Probate.

STATE OF WISCONSIN, } ss.
WOOD COUNTY, }

In the matter of the last Will and Testament of Wencle Fait, deceased.

Whereas, An instrument, in writing, purporting to be the last will and testament of Wencle Fait, deceased, late of Milladore, Wisconsin, has been filed in this office;

And, Whereas, Application has been made by James Haasl praying that the same be proven and admitted to probate, according to the laws of this state, and that letters testamentary be granted thereon according to law;

It is Ordered, That said application be heard before me, at the probate office, in the court house in the city of Grand Rapids, Wis., on the 1st day of September, A. D 1903, at 10 o'clock A. M.

And it is further Ordered, That notice of the time and place appointed for hearing said application be given to all persons interested, by publishing a copy of this order for three weeks successively, in the Grand Rapids Tribune, a newspaper printed in said county, previous to said hearing.

Dated, June 30th, A. D. 1903.

By the Court W. J. CONWAY,
County Judge.

6-10-4w

Notice for Hearing.

State of Wisconsin—County Court for Wood County.

In the matter of the adoption of Charlie Nichols by William J. Aucutt and Nellie Aucutt, his wife.

Notice is hereby given that at the special term of the County Court to be held in and for said county at the court house in the city of Grand Rapids, in said county, on Tuesday, the 8th day of September, A. D. 1903, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of said day, the following matter will be heard and considered:

The petition of William J. Aucutt and Nellie Aucutt, his wife, of Grand Rapids, in the county of Wood, in the state of Wisconsin, for leave to adopt Charlie Nichols, a minor child not their own by birth, the child by birth of Ida Nichols.

Dated this 9th day of June, A. D. 1903

By the Court, W. J. CONWAY,
County Judge.

Summons.

Wood County—City of Grand Rapids. In Justice Court.

To Charles Rothiveler:

You are hereby notified that a Summons and Garnishee has been issued against you and your property garnisheed to satisfy the demand of Nate Anderson, amounting to $21.10. Now, unless you shall appear before Burton L. Brown, a justice of the peace in and for said county, at his office in the city of Grand Rapids, on the 6th day of July, A. D. 1903, at 9 o'clock a. m. judgment will be rendered against you and your property sold to pay the debt.

Dated this 16th day of June, A. D. 1903.

NATE ANDERSON.

6-17-7w

Summons.

Circuit Court—Wood County.

Peter Held, Plaintiff,
vs.
Margaret Oppmann, Frank Oppmann, Matthias Oppmann, Antone Oppmann, Nicholas Oppmann and Hilda Oppmann, Defendants. } Summons.

The State of Wisconsin—To the said defendants:

You are hereby summoned to appear within twenty days after service of this summons, exclusive of the day of service, and defend the above entitled action in the court aforesaid; and in case of your failure so to do, judgment will be rendered against you according to the demand of the complaint.

CONWAY & JEFFREY,
Plaintiff's Attorneys.
P. O. Address, Grand Rapids, Wood Co., Wis

6-24-4w

Notice of Application.

Wood County Court—In Probate.

STATE OF WISCONSIN } ss
WOOD COUNTY }

In the matter of the last Will and Testament of Phebe Abbey, deceased.

Whereas, An instrument, in writing, purporting to be the last will and testament of Phebe Abbey, deceased, late of the town of Sherry, said county, has been filed in this office:

And Whereas, Application has been made by Adam Shidell, praying that the same be proven and admitted to probate, according to the laws of this state, and that letters testamentary be granted thereon according to law;

It is Ordered, That said application be heard before me at the probate office, in the City of Grand Rapids, on the 1st day of September, A. D. 1903, at nine o'clock, A. M.

And it is Further Ordered, That notice of the time and place appointed for hearing said application be given to all persons interested, by publishing a copy of this order for three weeks successively, in the Grand Rapids Tribune a newspaper printed in said county, previous to said hearing

Dated, June 23rd, 1903.

By the Court, W. J. CONWAY
County Judge.

5-27-5t

Claims of Creditors.

Wood County Court—In Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Joseph Pongratz, deceased.

Letters of administration on the estate of said Joseph Pongratz, deceased, having been granted and issued to Monika Pongratz on the 26th day of May, 1903, it is now at this special term of this court,

Ordered, That all creditors of said Joseph Pongrats, deceased, do present their claims for examination and allowance to this Court on or before the 30th day of November, 1903, which time is hereby allowed and limited for that purpose.

Ordered Further, That the claims and demands of all persons against said deceased be presented to, received, examined and adjusted by this court at the regular December term thereof to be held at the probate office in the city of Grand Rapids, in said county, on he first Tuesday, being the first day of December, 1903

And it is Further Ordered, That notice of the time and place at which said claims and demands will be received, examined and adjusted as aforesaid, and of the time limited for creditors to present their claims, be given by publishing a copy of this order and notice for four successive weeks in the Grand Rapids Tribune, a weekly newspaper published at the city of Grand Rapids, in said county, the first publication to be within fifteen days from the date of the order

Dated May 26th, 1903.

By the Court. W. J. CONWAY,
County Judge.

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Claims of Creditors.

Wood County Court—In Probate.

In the matter of the Estate of Ann Jeffrey, deceased.

Letters testamentary on the estate of said Ann Jeffrey, deceased, having been granted and issued to John J. Jeffrey and Daniel Keenan on the 12th day of May, 1903, it is now at this special term of this court, ordered, that all creditors of said Ann Jeffrey, deceased, do present their claims for examination and allowance to this Court on or before the 30th day of November, 1903, which time is hereby allowed and limited for that purpose.

Ordered further, that the claims and demands of all persons against said deceased be presented to, received, examined and adjusted by this court at the regular December term thereof to be held at the probate office in the city of Grand Rapids, in said county, on the first Tuesday, being the 1st day of December, 1903,

And it is further ordered, that notice of the time and place at which said claims and demands will be received, examined and adjusted as aforesaid, and of the time limited for creditors to present their claims, be given by publishing a copy of this order and notice for four successive weeks in the Grand Rapids Tribune, a weekly newspaper published at the city of Grand Rapids, in said county, the first publication to be within fifteen days from the date of order.

Dated, Grand Rapids, Wis., May 12th, 1903.

By the Court. W. J. CONWAY,
County Judge.

TIMING EXPOSURES.

A Work In Which Photographers Become Remarkably Accurate.

The photographer was about to take a picture of a young woman. "It's so dark here," he said, "that I guess I'll give you about thirty seconds," and, drawing out the slide and removing the cap, he began to count in a measured and mechanical tone, "one, two, three, four, five," and so on. When the exposure was finished the sitter said: "You gave more than thirty seconds to that plate. You counted very slow—I'm sure it took you a full minute to count thirty."

The photographer handed his watch to the young woman. He said: "I'll count thirty again. Time me." And he made the count exactly as before and he was just twenty-nine seconds making it. "One second off—not so bad. Near my old record, in fact," said the photographer. "Ten years ago, when I made more pictures than I do today, I could by counting make exposures up to five minutes without being more than a second off. Usually I'd be a second under; but, over or under, it was only by one second that I'd be out of the way. But," he added, "this gift is not remarkable. Nearly every photographer has it. Nearly every one of us can guess spaces of time running from a half a second to five or six minutes with what is for all practical purposes perfect accuracy."—Philadelphia Record.

Nature the Only Healer.

Medicine never did any person a particle of good except by digestion, assimilation—going into circulation, etc. No salve contains any healing property except as a protection to keep away the effect of oxygen in the air, dirt or any foreign substance from coming in contact with the part affected. The natural powers of our being possess the only power to heal. Anything that may be done to assist in a natural way is good—contrary, bad. Give good food to make good blood. Breathe good air, rest and not overexercise to the extent of fatigue. Then the body will recuperate. Then the wound will be healed by healthy serum that is secreted to heal all wounds, not the salve. The salve protects from outside influence, while the machinery within goes on with its work. Nature does it all.—Medical Talk.

One Way to Keep Accounts.

In a book of accounts found on the premises of a bankrupt dealer in a city in the west of England were the following names of customers to whom credit had been given and which would have puzzled all the official receivers in the kingdom: Woman on the key, Jew woman, coal woman, old coal woman, fat coal woman, market woman, pale woman, a man, old woman, littel milk girl, candle man, stableman, coachman, big woman, lame woman, quiet woman, egg man, littel black girl, Jew man, Mrs. in a cart, old Irish woman, woman in Corn street, a lad, man in the country, long Sal, Mrs. Irish woman, Mrs. feather bonnett, blue bonnett, green bonnett, green coat, blue britches, big britches, the woman that was married and the woman that told me of the man.—London Tit-Bits.

In an Old Time House.

To go down into the low ceiled kitchen, with its heavy, rough hewn timbers and its great fireplace with the logs fast turning to coals; to look into the old brick oven, where bread for a regiment could easily have been baked, and, perchance, to be asked to sit down on the old wooden settee under the little window where the pot of flowers stands and drink tea from a quaint blue cup will complete the charm the place has thrown about you. Many fantasies will throng the mind, and the shadows cast upon the walls by the wavering light make this house their home—one booted and spurred and with a military step, the other a rustle of silk and a whiff of rare perfume.—Four Track News.

Shipping Cinnamon.

Cinnamon is so extraordinarily sensitive that great care has to be taken with regard to its surroundings on board ship, as a bale of very fine cinnamon will lose much of its delicate aroma if packed among bales of coarser bark. Various expedients have been tried to remedy this. The Portuguese and Dutch isolated the bales by packing them in cocoanut fiber or in cattle hides, but it is found that the only real safeguard is to pack bags of pepper between the bales.—"Two Happy Years In Ceylon."

Just the Reverse.

"Th' boss don't allus keep his word," remarked the office boy.

"What's he been doin' now?" inquired the stenographer.

"He told me when he went out this mornin' that he'd call me up on the telephone. 'Stead of that he called me down for not answerin' it when he come back from lunch." — Cincinnati Commercial Tribune.

Her Ultimatum.

Railway Surveyor—We are going to run a railway line right through your barn.

Farmer's Wife—All right; I don't mind. But you remember that I will have no trains after 9 o'clock at night. I have no intention of getting up after that to open the door for the trains to go through.

All Arranged.

Manager—When you come to that line wait for the applause.

Actor—How do you know there will be applause?

Manager—That is my business, not yours.

An obstinate man does not hold opinions; they hold him.—Butler.

WEST WANTS HELP.

NOT MONEY BUT HARVEST HANDS FOR FRUIT.

Volunteer Missionaries Now in the East to Secure Emigrants—Chinese Labor Thinning Out and Room for Good People.

The following from the Chicago Packer concerning labor conditions in California will interest cranberry men who have "been there" themselves at certain stages of the season:

Chicago, May 23.—W. H. Murry, representing the California Promotion bureau, is in the city to secure laborers to help harvest the coming fruit crop.

"California has about 50,000 Chinamen," said Mr. Murry to The Packer man, "30,000 of them located in San Francisco. The fruit growers have had to depend on this class of help to pick fruit and gather the harvest as well as in the dryers.

"The labor situation has now become a most serious one. Last year the growers lost money because of inability to secure pickers. The grower would secure a gang from the city, they would come out to his ranch and scatter over the place camping out as is the custom under the trees, simply rolled up in their blankets. In a day or two some of the gang would hear of better wages being paid in another section and off they would go.

"Altho the wages paid are much higher in proportion than for the same class of labor in the East, our growers have been unable to get these people even thru one-half the season. The result has been, many large ranchers have abandoned fruit growing just because of the total unreliability of labor.

Chinese Thinning Out.

"The Chinese are thinning out and are becoming aged and this fact combined with the results of the Exclusion act, debarring others from landing, makes the shortage of from 20 to 25 p. c. in labor. We do not need skilled mechanics or men to fill the places of experienced help, but what we do need is farm labor.

"The committee men sent out from California are now in all the leading cities looking for emigrants, not one of us receiving a salary as our work is entirely a missionary proposition. Unless we can get the necessary labor to gather our fruit crops, we are up against a pretty serious proposition.

A Criticism Answered.

"Much criticism has been published in regard to the way farm labor has been treated in California. A great deal of this has come from our critics not realizing the conditions among the fruit ranches. Anyone who stops to think for a moment could hardly expect a rancher to take these people to his house, let them eat at his table; in brief treat them as farm labor is treated in the East.

"Naturally the larger percentage being of this class the fruit growers have made no provision for the few white men who have gone out as laborers. This trouble will be remedied as fast as we change from Chinese labor to reliable white labor.

"The Californian is as liberal as any one else in his treatment of men and the man who goes there prepared to make good and show what he is worth, will be treated properly. The custom of hiring men by the day without making or providing them any place to sleep and compelling them as to "find" themselves, is rapidly passing away. No one will rejoice more than the California fruit grower when all help will be employed by the month or season and proper provisions made for sleeping and board.

Figures that Bewilder.

"When one realizes that we have to harvest in dried fruits, 14,000,000 lbs. of apricots, 25,000,000 lbs. of peaches, 16,000,000 lbs. prunes, besides 23,000 cars of oranges and lemons; 7,000 cars of green fruit, 75,000,000 lbs. of beans, 55,000 bales hops, 7,000,000 lbs. figs, 100,000,000 lbs. raisins, he can understand that we have to have labor and plenty of it.

"Our dried fruit season is very short and calls for quick work or there will be large losses. This is where the intelligent farm laborers of the East cannot only make himself valuable but can readily earn fancy wages.

"The Chinese have been to us what the negroes were to the south. They were the house help and orchard help. But it is no longer the case of 'the Chinese must go,' for they have practically gone.

Plenty of Work.

"From one end of the state to the other there is a demand for competent white labor—men who are ambitious to acquire a home of their own. We are going away from the old system of large ranches to small farms of from 20 to 100 acres. Fruit curing is done chiefly during July to Nov. 5: the fruit packing season runs from May 25 to Nov. 1. Indeed, there is a call for capable help thruout the year. The great rush, however, is from May 1 to August 1.

No Snap Scheme.

"Our bureau as stated before, is composed of volunteer workers and not hired lecturers, seeking to bring in emigrants and turning them loose in a wild uncultivated country to make a living as best they can, but it secures work for new comers for 3 to 5 months. Many get permanent employment at once. What we are after, however, is ambitious workers, men who will come out to California and eventually become employers themselves. Secy. B. N. Rowley, No 25 New Montgomery St., San Francisco, will furnish pamphlets and full information upon request.

"We have plenty of work for not only men but women and children during the rush. It will pay any one who wants to go out and see California to go there, since at the end of 3 to 5 months he can have enough cash in hand with which to return home. A reference to The Packer will secure any inquirer all the pamhplets of the bureau giving full data on every point."

Bronchitis for Twenty Years.

Mrs. Minerva Smith of Danville, Ill., writes: "I had bronchitis for twenty years and never got relief until I used Foley's Honey and Tar which is a sure cure. Sold by Johnson & Hill Co.

A Costly Adventure

[Original.]

When the Union Pacific railroad was finished to Laramie a line of coaches took its passengers southward to Denver. One evening the coach waited the arrival of the train; but, the station agent receiving a telegram that the latter was several hours behind time, the former was sent out with but two passengers, a rancher and his daughter. The girl had been east at school, and her father was taking her home. During the twilight the two enjoyed the scenery from the coach window, but when darkness came leaned back on the cushion and each fell into a doze.

Suddenly they were aroused by the crack of a rifle, the breaks were put on and the coach came to a stop. Then, after a few words spoken roughly to the driver, the coach door was thrown open and a masked man thrust in his head. In the darkness nothing but his form could be distinguished.

A masked man took the valuables of both, then said to the girl, "Have you nothing else for me?"

There was no answer. The girl was too frightened to answer.

"Well, then," continued the man, "I'll take your own sweet self."

At this the father went wild, begging and pleading for his child.

"Calm yourself, my dear sir," said the agent. "Your daughter shall come to no harm."

"What do you want with her?"

"Nothing except what she will herself wish. Come' I can't be fooling here." And, taking the girl by the hand, he led her out of the coach. There was something in the man's voice that won her confidence, and her fear left her. He seemed strangely polite and tender hearted for a road agent. As soon as she had alighted he lifted her on to a horse furnished with a woman's saddle and, mounting himself, seized a leading strap and galloped away with her.

Meanwhile the Union Pacific train reached Laramie, and the passengers for Denver were provided with an extra coach. There were half a dozen passengers, including a Denver banker and his niece. Most of them were Denver people, acquainted with one another, and they were having a merry time before settling to sleep, when there was a hold up and they were ordered to alight, line up and deliver. One man did the work, though there were others in the background who did not show themselves. When the valuables had been collected the passengers were permitted to return to the coach. One, the niece of the Denver banker, Miss Frances Delaney, lagged behind and whispered to the road agent:

"What am I to do?"

"Do? Get into the coach."

"But I want to go with you."

"Oh, you do. Well, I reckon you or any other likely gal can do that. Come along."

When the coach started on the girl was missed by her uncle, the coach was stopped, a search was made, her name was shouted, but there was no Miss Delaney.

An hour later two mounted men, approaching one another on the Denver and Laramie road, each hearing the other's horse's hoofbeats, drew rein. Presently one called to the other:

"Who are you?"

"I'm Walter Blake of Denver. Who are you?"

There was some delay in the reply which came evidently of the consultation:

"I got a gal here who says she's made a mistake. She knows you. You were to have pretended to rob the Denver coach and carry her off to get her away from her guardian uncle. She thought I was you and wanted to come along. I ain't got no use for her."

"You don't say so! Thank heaven! Lucky meet! I robbed the wrong coach and took a rancher's daughter."

"Well, I tell you what you do. Turn over the proceeds, and I'll turn over your gal."

"I'm no robber."

"I am."

"Oh, I see!"

"Come down with the dust."

Blake thought the matter over. If it were not for the two girls, one of whom he had kidnaped and the other had kidnaped herself, he might have either turned and run or fought. As it was, there was nothing to do but surrender not only the rancher's and his daughter's valuables, but every dollar he had with him, and this, since he had provided himself for a bridal trip, was considerable. Everything was given up, and Frances Delaney was permitted to ride forward.

"Stupid!" was her first word.

"You wrote you would be in the coach tonight. I didn't know there were two coaches."

There was little else spoken between the lovers till they and the rancher's daughter reached Denver, where Blake turned the latter, with many shamefaced apologies, over to her father and asked for an account of the property he had taken from the banker. When the account was paid and the amateur road agent figured up the amount the effort had cost him it seemed a pretty high price to pay for a wife whom he hadn't succeeded in kidnaping. Miss Delaney was so mortified and incensed over the matter that she turned a cold shoulder to her lover, whom her uncle now said it would be necessary for her to marry to save her good name. She remained resolute in her refusal to do so for a year; then, as Blake determined to take up his residence in San Francisco, she relented, glad to get away from the ridicule she found it impossible to live down in Denver.

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$10 and $12 suits for	$ 8.95
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6c lawns, at	2½c
10c lawns, at	5c
15c lawns, at	12½c
20c and 25c lawns, at	14c and 15c
60c grenadines, at	39c
75c silk mohair, at	49c
All our 8c, 10c and 15c laces, go at per yard	5c
All the best indigo calico, for	5c
10c percales, for	8c

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12½c corset covers, at	9c
18c corset covers, at	12½c
25c corset covers, at	19c
35c corset covers, at	29c
50c corset covers, at	39c
$1.00 and $1.25 corset covers, at	89c
60c skirts, at	49c
75c skirts, at	59c
$1.00 skirts, at	89c
1.50 skirts, at	$1.29
2.25 Skirts, at	1.89
3.00 skirts, at	2.39
25c drawers, at	19c
85c drawers' at	29c
50c drawers, at	39c
$1.00 drawers, at	89c

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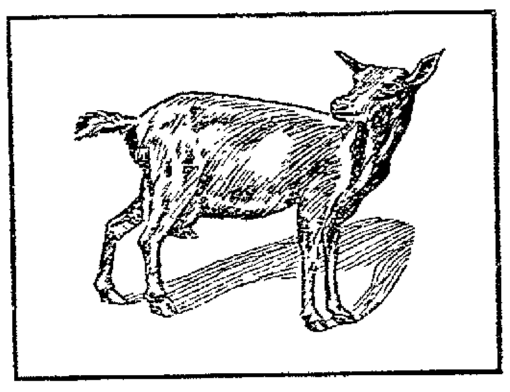
Another Candidate For a Boom In Animal Industries.

Spanish Maltese goats' milk is superior to that of the ordinary cow for general domestic purposes. Used with coffee it is delicious, giving that beverage a rich, creamy appearance, while a few drops in a cup of tea are equivalent to more than a teaspoonful of ordinary cream. When used for cakes or puddings its superiority is quickly apparent, both to the sight and taste, imparting a rich yellow color to these articles when cooked and thereby acting economically by lessening the number of eggs requisite for them. Many persons are impressed with the belief that goats' milk is possessed of a peculiar flavor. The impression is an entirely erroneous one. This milk resembles cows' milk both in taste and color, the only difference being that it is richer, thicker and slightly sweeter, containing, as it does, a larger percentage of cream and sugar and a less percentage of water.

When not confined the Spanish-Maltese goat in its eating habits is much like the deer, its diet being principally choice buds, twigs, leaves and undergrowth. Its meat, therefore, bears a close resemblance both in taste and color to deer flesh or venison. The grain is dark and closer than either mutton or Angora goat meat. No meat is sweeter, healthier, more tender or palatable. It is more delicious in flavor than deer venison.



MALTESE MILK GOAT.

At present prices the long haired Maltese skins are worth from 75 cents to $1 per pound for trimmings, rugs, imitation bear skins and other purposes, while the short haired are worth from 25 to 40 cents per pound to tanners, who use them for making the celebrated "vici kid," a quality and class of leather rivaling the French kind both in beauty and durability, which, of course, greatly enhances the value of these skins.

Farm, Field and Fireside quotes a west Texas correspondent to the foregoing effect.

Government Soil Surveying.

The United States bureau of soils maintained fifteen soil parties in the field during last year, the areas covered being as follows.

Perry county, Ala.; Yuma area, Arizona; Stuttgart area, Arkansas; Imperial area, California; Los Angeles area, California; Arkansas valley area, Colorado; Gadsden county, Fla.; Lewiston area, Idaho; Clay county, Ill.; Clinton county, Ill.; St. Clair county, Ill.; Tazewell county, Ill.; Posey county, Ind.; Dubuque area, Iowa; Wichita area, Kansas; Union county, Ky.; Smedes area, Mississippi; Howell county, Mo.; Billings area, Montana; Trenton area, N. J.; Bigflats area, New York; Lyons area, New York; Hickory area, North Carolina, Parmele area, North Carolina; Mount Mitchell area, North Carolina; Grand Forks area, North Dakota; Columbus area, Ohio; Toledo area, Ohio; Arecibo to Ponce, Porto Rico; Abbeville area, South Carolina; Darlington county, S. C.; Brazoria area, Texas; Vernon area, Texas; Albemarle area, Virginia; Wallawalla area, Washington, Janesville area, Wisconsin. During the current year the number of soil survey parties has been increased to twenty, which it is expected will make surveys of about fifty areas in thirty-two states and territories

What There Is In Cultivation.

We must keep in mind the fact that when corn is a foot high the roots fill the soil between the rows, and to cut them off checks the growth. Cultivation after that time should always be shallow. Have the soil loose so that rains will run in instead of off and break up the crust as soon as it is dry enough to work, as this will check wasteful evaporation from the surface. A farmer with whom I was acquainted incurred the wrath of his hired man by having run the cultivator again and again through the corn during a severe drought, while the neighbors were resting on their oars waiting for rain to come. "What, run that thing through the corn again? You might as well run it in the big road." "Well, I guess we'll work the corn a leetle more, but"— He had the only crop of corn in that section of country. When in doubt whether you have cultivated the corn enough it will always pay to work it a "leetle more."—Cor. Ohio Farmer.

What Forestry Is.

Forestry is the preservation of forests by wise use. It does not mean the abbreviation of that use. It means making the forest useful not only to the settler, the rancher, the miner, the man who lives in the immediate neighborhood, but indirectly to the man who lives hundreds of miles off.—President Roosevelt.

How Many Plants In a Hill.

One strong watermelon plant in a hill is better than two or more. Leave two cantaloupe plants in each hill. Thin out surplus soon after the leaves become rough.

CURE OF INSOMNIA.

Some Simple Plans to Rid Oneself of Sleeplessness.

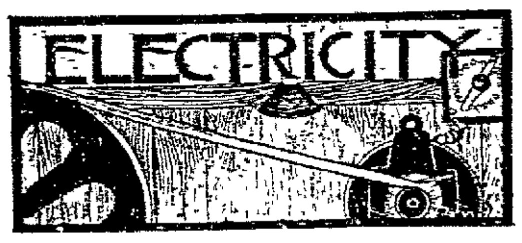
Cultivate regular hours of sleep, says a writer in the Philadelphia Press. Go to bed at the same time each night and let that time be fairly early. Divest the mind as far as possible of care so as to fall asleep at once. The habit of rising at the instant of awakening in the morning should be cultivated also.

The bedclothes should be warm and light and the temperature of the room about 58 degrees. Either a very cold room or a very hot one is very disturbing to sleep, although thorough ventilation is of great importance, as a close atmosphere will awaken one, and if he is troubled with insomnia he will find it almost impossible to return to the condition of sleep. The window should be opened from the top, taking care by means of curtains and other devices to protect the body from drafts.

All plants should be removed from a sleeping room, for not only will their own vitality be destroyed, but also the air of their owner to a certain limited extent. Those who live in the city have the irritating noises of the city streets to contend with. Place cotton in your ears if they annoy or try to sleep as far from the street as possible. Light should be excluded by means of dark shades which can be lowered, tied to a chair and removed a short space from the windows, thus allowing of ventilation. The bed should be yielding without being too soft, the pillows moderately firm and either high or low, according to the taste of the sleeper.

A certain amount of bodily fatigue induced by healthy exercise, especially in brain workers, is very important.

In regard to the meal taken at night, the following should be observed: If a heavy meal, it should be partaken of three or four hours before going to bed. If food is taken at a later hour, it should be such as is easily digested. Sometimes an empty stomach will cause insomnia, and frequently a glass of hot milk taken just before bedtime will cause sleep.



An invention that has caused much favorable comment from officers of the life saving service has been submitted to them by Professor William Libbey of Princeton university. It consists of an automatic system of receiving and transmitting signals by means of wireless telegraph apparatus and is intended to warn vessels of their approach toward shoals or a rocky coast.

The device consists of an apparatus to be established at all dangerous points on the coast line, from which soundings will be sent out automatically. It is so arranged that these warnings will go out over three distinct zones—one with a radius of ten miles, another with a radius of five miles and a third with a radius of two miles.

Vessels are supposed to be equipped with the receiving apparatus. Such a vessel coming within the ten mile zone of the danger spot will receive a warning in the shape of a stroke on the bell in the pilot house. The five mile zone, which covers the edge of the breakers, will be covered in the same manner, and when the vessel enters the two mile zone this will be announced in the same way also.

The apparatus will be regulated so that warning signals will be given twice at the commencement of each minute within the five mile zone and three times at the commencement of each minute in the two mile zone.

The officers of the life saving service say that if this invention works out in practice as it is explained on paper it will prove of great value in warning ships of the approach to shoals and rock bound coasts at times when fog signals and lightships and lighthouses are useless.

To Show When Life Begins.

An electrical test at first proposed as a means of determining whether life is extinct has been used to show when life begins. No reaction is produced if the matter is lifeless. Applying this method to hens' eggs, Augustus Waller has found that signs of life begin in twenty-four to sixty-two hours after the beginning of incubation, and that only when development fails or is arrested does the reaction continue to be absent.

Weaving Silk by Electricity.

In the plain of Lombardy, near a village called Merate, works have been established by Messrs. Gavazzi for the spinning and weaving of silk. Some five hundred workpeople, principally women and girls, are employed, and no fewer than 336 weaving machines assist in creating the deafening noise to which the visitor is subjected. Each of these weaving machines is furnished with a small electric motor having a simple starting and stopping gear placed within easy reach of the person in charge of the machine. To the women operating these machines there is much less danger than where a lot of driving belts are in use. To the proprietor of the mill there is the advantage that all possible risk of oil being dropped from any overhead shafting on to the valuable material on the machines is avoided.

Electric Death.

A. Spindler of Strassburg, Germany, has invented an electrical cannon which, instead of hurling a great steel projectile at a foe, will charge upon him a bolt of electricity of such great power as to cause death to any number of men, and which will make a modern war ship only a death cage for its occupants, to be destroyed at will.

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Here's to the maid
Who's not afraid
To take a kiss with deference;
And here's to the man
Who, when he can,
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ALTDORF.

Mrs. John Ritz died on Friday last after an illness more or less severe of several years, the cause of death being a cancerous growth, She was buried on Sunday at Seneca Corners. She being a member of the Seventh Day Adventists, there was no minister here to conduct the services. but one arrived from Green Bay on Monday and held services. Mrs. Ritz leaves a husband and one son to mourn her loss, the latter being at Battle Creek, Mich., and unable to attend his mother's funeral.

Anton Bauman of New York arrived in the city last week for a few weeks visit with his brother, Henry, at Altdorf. The two had not met for 36 years. at which time Anton left the fatherland.

Many of the farmers are getting their hay in quite rapidly since the warm weather set in.

A baby boy arrived to gladden the home of Mr. and Mrs. Emil Nocht on Tuesday, July 14.

Mrs. Frank Wipfli was a visitor in Grand Rapids on Tuesday.

—Girls Wanted—Inquire at the Witter House.

Brutally Tortured.

A case came to light that for persistent and unmerciful torture has perhaps never been equalled. Joe Golobick of Colusa, Calif, writes, "For 15 years I endured insufferable pain from Rheumatism and nothing relieved me though I tried everything known. I came across Electric Bitters and it's the greatest medicine on earth for that trouble. A few bottles of it completely relieved and cured me." Just as good for Liver and Kidney troubles and general debility. Only 50c. Satisfaction guaranteed by John E. Daly, druggist.

MARSHFIELD.

[From the News.]

Local sports are making an effort to arrange another wrestling match between Fred Beell of this city and Ed. Adamson, now of St. Louis. The latter recently married a rich widow and is instructor in one of the leading gymnasiums. It is doubtful that he could be tempted into signing articles for a contest with his old opponent, even at the stake proposed by Marshfield sports, $500. No other two men could be matched who would draw from all parts of central Wisconsin equal to Beell and Adamson. The abilities of the two men are so evenly balanced that it is usually a toss-up which will win, and the sport under such conditions cannot be excelled. Of the five wrestling contests Beell won three and Adamson two. Fred has improved greatly in the last year or two and his chances would be better than even if the match now talked of is arranged.

Leading officials of the Green Bay and C. & N. W. Ry. companies met on the scene of last week's collision near Grand Rapids and called upon all the eye-witnesses to give their version of the affair. Two men walking side by side on the track each saw the collison in a different light and told conflicting stories. Several nearby farmers testified that no trains had stopped at that crossing for more than a year. The parties responsible for the accident have not yet been announced by the examining board.

Mienrad Marti, a farmer living two miles southeast of the village of Auburndale, will have cause to remember the recent fourth of July with great sorrow. On the morning of that day while enroute to the village, his buggy tipped over in turning about and all of the occupants were more of less bruised. Chris, two years of age, received fatal injuries and died the following day. The funeral was held on Monday from the house, Rev. E. A. McKinney, of this city, officiating.

The city council passed the band appropriation of $500 at its meeting Tuesday evening by a unanimous vote.

—During the winter of 1901. R. O. Bell, Pontiac, Ills., contracted a severe cold which left him with a very annoying cough. In speaking of how he cured it he says, "I had been suffering from the effects of la grippe followed by a severe cough for several weeks last winter, and had tried nearly every remedy known to myself or friends, but found no relief up to the time I began using Harts' Honey and Horehound. I received benefit even from the first bottle of this medicine, and three 25c bottles effectually cured me. There are no deleterious effects following its use and I consider Harts' Honey and Horehound the best throat and lung remedy in the world." Sold by Sam Church

BABCOCK.

Mrs. A. E. Cotey of Pittsville and Mrs Jos. Kraus of Butte, Montana, were guests of Mrs. Sam Griffith and Mrs. L. Ward one day last week.

Mrs. Frank Scholtz of Merrill was the guest of her husband for a few days the past week. Mr. Scholtz is a machinist for the R. R. Co. here.

There was a ball game here last Sunday between Babcock and Meadow Valley, resulting in a victory for the Babcock team.

W. J Sullivan's mother of Arkdale is visiting at the home of her son in the village

Clyde Post and Viola Pero were married at the home of Mrs. Smith on Sunday.

Mrs. W. J. Sullivan and daughter, Maggie, spent Sunday in Merrill.

James Griffith and wife spent Sunday at Minocqua.

—Girls Wanted—Inquire at the Witter House.

—A concentrated spring water, with all the medical properties so well known to the public, can be found in the Pluto Concentrated water from French Lick Springs. Unexcelled for rheumatism, constipation, etc. Johnson & Hill drug department.

Drink our egg lemonade. It's fine. Church's fountain.

RUDOLPH.

Geo. H. Livernash, the genial agent of the C. M. & St. P. Ry. at this point, goes to Babcock to take charge of the train despatcher's office for a short time. Olaf Croghan of Rudolph will take charge of Necedah station in the absence of Mr. Livernash.—Necedah Republican.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Yetter and children of Colby were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Akey on Friday and Saturday. They have recently moved to Grand Rapids and will make that place their future home.

Miss Laura Provost has been engaged to teach the coming year in district No. 4 at a salary of $40 per month. There will be nine months of school the coming year and it starts on the 7th of September.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Zeihms, Richard Zeihms of Green Bay and Mr. Shy, who have been guests of the Lyonnais family will leave for their respective homes on Thursday.

Miss Emma Hassell left on Saturday for a two weeks visit with Miss Augusta Roosen of Tomah.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Akey of Biron were visiting friends and relatives in this place on Sunday.

Mrs I. Livernash of Star Lake is visiting friends and relatives in this burg.

—Girls Wanted—Inquire at the Witter House.

Treat Your Kidneys for Rheumatism.

When you are suffering from rheumatism, the kidneys must be attended to at once so that they will eliminate the uric acid from the blood. Foley's Kidney Cure is the most effective remedy for this purpose. R. T. Hopkins of Polar, Wis., says: "After unsuccessfully doctoring three years for rheumatism with the best doctors, I tried Foley's Kidney Cure and it cured me. I cannot speak too highly of this great medicine." Sold by Johnson & Hill Co.

Pope Leo XIII. has made his final confession. The last communion has been administered to him. The rite of extreme unction has been performed. Any moment now the great bell at Rome which sounds only when a Pope dies may begin to toll out the news of his earthly end. At the bedside of the dying Pope there watches to day the whole Christian world. irrespective creed. Men of the world's affairs pause and mourn no less deeply, than do the ministers of the world's souls. For Leo XIII has shown himself a great statesman, as well as a great prelate. In polities he is the last of a group of great ones, Bismark, William, Victoria, Disraeli, and Gladstone. Moreover, Pope Leo has been more than prelate and statesman—so much more that all thinkers everywhere look anxiously to his deathbed. A saintly character and a blameless life have been supplemented by a sincere and persistent effort to extend the kingdom of God on earth and to benefit hummanity. He has been a great pope, a light to the world, and a friend of the human race.—Inter Ocean.

—Indigestion arises from a weakened condition of the stomach, caused by over eating, or eating indigestible or improperly cooked food, alcoholic drinks, etc., thus exhausting nerve force and the stomach resulting in indigestion, dyspepsia, billiousness and constipation. A cure of these complaints can be effected in a short time by the regular use of Re-Go, the famous Tonic Laxative Syrup. The expense is only 25 or 50 cents and is only 26 or 50 cents and is certainly a modest doctor bill. Re-Go is sold by Sam Church.

Milwaukee Sentinel: Frank A. Cady and wife of Grand Rapids spent Sunday at the St. Charles, it being the first occasion on which Mr. Cady has left home since the legislature adjurned. "We had a hard winter in the judiciary committee and it took a few weeks to get the kinks out of my back," he remarked incidentally. "There are no politics in Wood county at present, but I guess there will be by and by. We are all business, especially at Grand Rapids. We are to have a new dam that will develop every bit of the power of the river, and a paper mill is to go in that will be a wonder.

"People are just awakening to the resources of the Wisconsin river valley and to the possibilities in the way of power which the river possesses. Pine and cranberries were well enough in their day and helped to open up the country, but now that the pine is all gone we seem to have more stuff left than we had on the start. Our electric road projects seem a little slow about getting in motion, but no doubt about dams, paper mills, and agriculture, and the three combined will continue to hold the valley in its place as the best section of Wisconsin.

Night Was Her Terror.

"I would cough nearly all night long," writes Mrs. Charles Applegate of Alexandria, Ind., "and could hardly get any sleep. I had consumption so bad that if I walked a block I would cough frightfully and spit blood, but, when all other medicines failed, three $1.00 bottles of Dr. King's New Discovery wholly cured me and I gained 58 pounds." It's absolutely guaranteed to cure Coughs, Colds, La Grippe, Bronchitis and all Throat and Lung Troubles. Price 50c and $1.00- Trial bottles free at John E. Daly's drug store.

Births in the City.

A boy arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John E. Schnabie on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Nokes welcomed a boy baby at their home on the west side on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Steib are rejoicing over a brand new boy at their home.

A girl baby arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Billmyre on Friday.

Go to the opera house next Monday eve and see Chimes of Notre Dame presented by Winninger Bros. Big Co. Prices 10, 20 and 30 cents. one lady admitted free with every paid 30 cts. ticket reserved before 6 p m.

Foreign Mission Work.

The Ladies' Foreign Missionary society was entertained at the home of Mrs. G. M. Hill, Wednesday, July 12, by Mesdames Boorman, Cochran, Palmatier, Otto and Hill.

Altho porch functions are very much in vogue these beautiful summer days, the ladies had not anticipated an afternoon spent in the open air, but Mrs. E. Fontaine, whose chair could not be rolled thru the door, being present, the ladies at once decided to spend the afternoon on the lawn. The circle formed was indeed a social one.

After many exchanges of good cheer, the meeting was called to order by Mrs. Emma Brundage. Prayer service was conducted by Mrs. E. B. Rossier. Mrs. George R. Gardner read a paper on the missions Wai and Vadale, which was par excellence.

This society never fails to have something of real worth to these seeking knowledge in missionary work. At the close of the program the following menu was served:

Bread and Butter — Cheese Sandwiches
Chicken Salad with Gelatine
Olives
Sundaes — Assorted Cakes
Coffee

All present report a most enjoyable afternoon.

—Foley's Kidney Cure purifies the blood by straining out impurities and tones up the whole system. Cures kidney and bladder troubles. Sold by Johnson & Hill Co.

Winninger Bros. Own Co.

Never in the History of the dramatic Stage, has an organization presenting popular price amusement become so popular as has this one, under the able management of Messrs Winninger Bros. This popularity however is well merited, as there have been few organizations traveling, that have contained so many talented Performers, and given such general satisfaction. From a modest begining a few years ago the company has grown to larger and more complete proportions, and to day includes among its members some of the best Artists in the profession. A. W. Ellis, Helen Castle, Stella Wimmer and Charles De Onze are some of the leading members of the organization. At the opera house One week commencing July 20.

The Green Bay line has the best connections and shortest time between Grand Rapids and St. Paul, Minneapolis, Duluth, Ashland and all points north and west. Leaving Grand Rapids at 10:32 a. m., close connections are made at Merrillan or Winona. When you go try the Green Bay line. Please notice our Sunday excursion train: leaves Grand Rapids at 7 o'clock every Sunday morning. One fare for round trip to any point on the line east and no charge over $1.50. A. D. Hill, Agent.

Suing the Company.

Four men, Alex Gackowski, Emil Kamps, Emil Young and Alex Mindak, have brought suit against the St. Paul railroad company to recover damages on account of an accident that occurred last September, the wagon the men were on being struck by a box car while some switching was being done.

The case of Alex Gackowski came up for trial before Justice Cooper on Tuesday, but was dismissed on motion of the plaintiff's attorney, Gackowski not being of age.

Each of the men claim $200 damages. The case of Young comes up on the 16th, that of Kamps on the 20th and Mendak's on the 24th.

—J. O. Hebert, photographer, will give two color photos with every dozen cabinets for a short time. Call at gallery, opposite Heineman Mercantile Co.'s store.

Letter List.

West Side: Nina Bunforte, Martha Rozyczkowski, Charles Wescott, Weil Trefun, H. Matice, Adam Klonowski, Mr. W. Ruter, John Horner, Jan. Geleynse, Jos. Okonowski, Joseph Welson.

East Side: Wm. Briggs, J. H. Carrington, Aug. Darel, Harry Feminerdin, Chas. W. Fenck, Michael Jozwiak Gustof Kunnender, Jesse Parker, W. E. Richardson, Paul Rustadt, Patrick Rush, Mrs. Matilda Johnson, Alice Lyman, Nellie Marry, Mrs. G. H. Richardson

A Good Entertainment.

The Laurence University Glee Club gave a very good entertainment at the the Methodist church on Saturday evening at which there was a good attendance. The reading by Carl Waterman caught the fancy of the audience as did also the choruses by the Club. Altogether it was a very good entertaiment and all who attended were well pleased.

"Winninger Bros. Own Co."

Much interest is being taken in the appearance here next week of Winninger Bro. Own Co. It is composed of 15 people notable among which are A. W. Ellis, Helen Castle, Stella Wimmer, Chas. DeOnze, and other high salaried Artists such as are usually seen with a popular price organization. Among the Vaudevile features are the Winninger Bros. Musical. Comedians, Lena De Laigle Singer and Dancer, Chas. Onde, Comedy Acrobat, and a Quartette of Male Voices. The Companys Repertoire includes: "Natures Nobleman" "Two Friends" "Chimesof Notre Dame" "Hearts of the Sierras" "Resurrection" and "To save her Honor". The Management of the Granb is to de congratulated upon having secured this without a doubt one of the best popular price attraction on the Road. All next week at opera House 10, 20, 30 cts.

Two Bottles Cured Him.

"I was troubled with kidney complaint for about two years," writes A. H. Davis of Sterling, Ia., "but two bottles of Foley's Kidney Cure effected a permanent cure." Sold by Johnson & Hill Co.

Predicts Lumber Mills' End.

Alex Stwart, formerly congressman from the Wausau district, and one of the heaviest lumbermen in Wisconsin, was at the Hotel Pfister last week. "I think that within four years all the mills in the Wisconsin river valley that cut pine will have ceased operations," he said. "I only expect my mills to run two years after this season closes. Of course, there will be pine left on the Chippewa and some other rivers, but the Wisconsin will be stripped in four years.—Milwaukee Sentinel.

To cure a cold in One Day.

Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E. W. Grove's signature is on each box. 25c.

July Weather Predictions.

The Rev. Irl R. Hicks the weather sharp, who sometimes guesses tolerably close, makes the following predictions as to what he thinks the weather will be for the remainder of July:

The second storm period will arrive about July 10, passing eastward over the country. Thunder storms with wind and rain can be expected. Another change will be due about July 14 and 15. On these dates look for a marked change to warmer, with falling barometer and more rain, wind and thunder. On and touching July 15, as the moon passes over the equator, from south to north, thunder clouds, local rains and much blustering will be followed by a westerly wind and cooler weather.

The regular storm period is central on July 20, extending its influence from about July 18 to 23, but the new moon on July 24 will tend to divert actual storms between these dates and draw them forward into the reactionary period central on July 25, 26 and 27.

One of the warmest waves in July may be counted on from Friday, July 24, to Monday, July 27. On the latter date electrical storms are probable, The equinoctial period of the planet Mars begins about July 20. Its influence will be added to other disturbing causes during the last ten days of July. The month comes to its close in the first stage of a regular storm period, the culumination of which will fall in the opening days of August.

As to the general outlook for July, we do not forcast a superabundance of rainfall. The drought conditions which have prevailed in the New England section and parts of Canada, we fear will work by long strides into the interior part of the continent; but it will take two or three years for it to reach a maximum and run its course in this country. Some eastern to northern parts of our great agricultual regions will feel a pinch of dryness in July and August. and most other sections will have little moisture to waste. We will venture to say that the autumn will be favorable to late planted crops, and that we believe the losses of flood regions may largely be made up by all who can possibly plant their lands with corn and other suitable crops.

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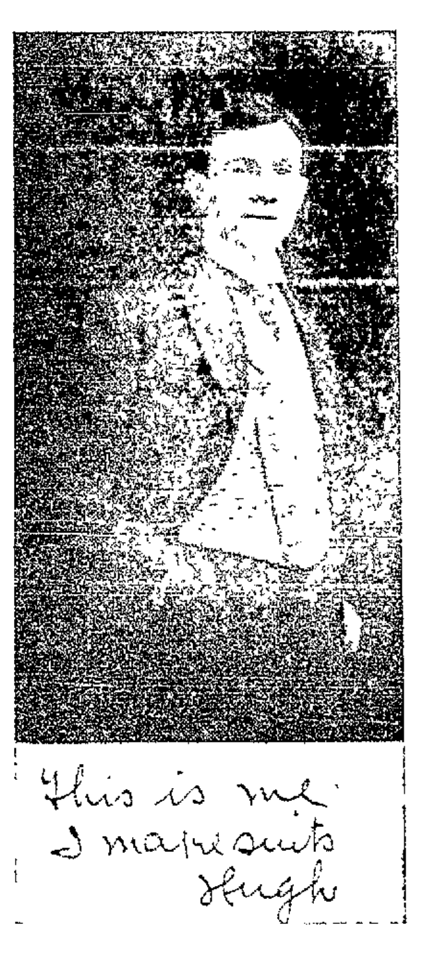

Do the people who own houses for rent read my 'ads?' In the last issue of this paper I stated that I wanted to rent a house, but up to the present have received no reply to that 'ad.'

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